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Compiled and Published by the Students of Rensselaer High Schools No easy hope or lies Shall bring us to our goal. But iron sacrifice Of body, will, and soul.

-Kipling.





Dedication

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We
The Class of
1928
Dedicate this Volume
to
Our Sponsors
Miss Mae Clark
Mr. William C. Covert
They are Our Friends
—and Yours.

Could we ask for more?



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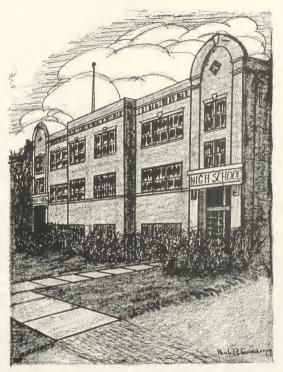


GEORGE O. BALES Secretary of the Board of Education

"Conduct and courage lead to bonor."







"The doors of wisdom are never shut."

To the Seniors

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You have come now to the end of your high school course, but the joy of graduation is perhaps mingled with a note of sadness. Your journey so far has been pleasant; there have been few disappointments. As you take your places in society, you will find that joys and disappointments exist there, as in school. In these days of keen competition you will have to work.

We have enjoyed working with you as a class and as individuals. With some of you this acquaintance has been only for the high school period and perhaps a part of the grades, while with others it began before you were old enough to go to school. We have watched your progress through the grades and high school with much pleasure.

The teachers have labored to acquaint you with some of the sources of knowledge and to make funilar certain ideals of character and right living. Whatever vocation you may elect to follow, it is the hope of your teachers that you will put into practice some of those high ideals that were presented to you during your school days. You might, with profit, accept this maxim:

"Let every man be occupied, and occupied in the highest employment of which his nature is capable."

As you go your respective ways, we wish for each of you a most successful, useful, and happy life.

C. R. DEAN.

[&]quot;A secret of success is constancy of purpose."



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"A workman that needeth not to be ashamed,"

CHAOS

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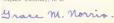
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Liver Drien

"Deliberate slowly; execute promptly."

Seniors

As freshman here long years ago
We took with adoration
Whatever seniors would bestow
From their exalted station.

A glance was really quite a prize,

A word? It was a treasure.

A sentence,—one of any size,

Was then our utmost pleasure.

Now seniors we, ours to bestow

The word, the glance, the smile,
Or torment those so far below,

And laugh at them the while.

How much we've gained from then till now,
And how the time has sped;
But to the future we must bow:
How much yet lies ahead!

ERNEST GRAHAM, '28.

Raleigh Phegley (Pheg) Ambition: Ambition: To steer clear of Reno.
President of class 2-3-4; Football 1-2-3-4; Bas-ketball 2-3-4; President 3-3-4; Vice-President 3-3-4; Vice-President 3-3-4; Vice-President 3-4-4; Vice-President 3-4 To steer





Lucille Hemphill

Ambition: To be a col-lector of football stars. lector of football stars.
Vice-President of class
4: Glee Club 1; Class
Basketball 1-2-3-4; Commercial Club 3; Home
Economies Club 4.

Valeria Telfer (Val) Ambition: To have no free Sunday nights. ree Sunday nights.

Secretary of class 4;

Hanging Grove H. S. 1-2;

Vice-President class 2;

Basketball (Captain) 1-2;

Commercial Club 4;

Home Economics Club 4;

G. A. A. 3-4.





Andrew Shindler (Andy) Ambition: To play a grind organ in Gary. grind organ in Gary.
Great Falls, Montana,
High School 1-2: Music
Club 1-2: Montana Music
Meet 1-2: Orchestra 1-23-4: Chaos 3: Hi-Y-34: Secretary 4): Treasurer
of Class 3-4: Masque
and Wig 4: Operetta
3-4: Geografiellowship contest (second) 4: winner
County Contest (plano).

Lawrence Arnott (Larry) Ambition: To teach Hawaiians to make daisy chains. chains.

Pootball 2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4 (Captain 4);
Track 2-3-4; Relay team
State H. S. meet 3; Hi-Y
2-3-4; Reaident 4); Band
2-2-3-1; Torchestra 1-2
2-1udping teamer of cup
Judging Contest 4.





Avanelle Warren (Avie) Ambition: To sling

sodas in Alx.
Chaos 4; Rensselaerien
2; Operetta 2-3-4; C. A. A.
1-2-3; State Music Memory contest 3; Home Economies Club 1; Commercial Club 3; Basketball 1-3; All State Orchestra 4; winner in County Contest (violin).

Margaret Wild (Shorty) Ambition: To be judge of St. Peter's Supreme Court.

Court.
National Honor Society; Editor-in-Chief Chaos; Rensselaerien Staff 2-3-4; Vice-Fresi-dent class: 1 Treasurer General Chief Chaos; Staff 2-3-4; Secretary 3); Commercial Club 2-3; State Typing Team 2; Home Economics Club 4; G. A. A. 12-3-4; God-allowship contest (first) 3





Thomas Wilcox (Red) Ambition: To be a motor cop in Chicago. motor cop in Chicago. Football 2-3-4; Basket-ball 2-3-4; Track 3-4; Commercial 3-4 (Presi-dent 3); Hi-Y 3-4; Chaos 4; Goodfellowship Con-test (first) 3.

Lela Bell Maines

Ambition: To be a sec-ond Florence Nightingale. Commercial Club (Sec-retary 4); Sunshine So-c'ety (President 4); Home Economics Club



Sarah Hunt (Sally) Ambition: To be suc-

cessful.

National Honor Society; Masque and Wis 2-4 (Vice-President 4); Orchestra 1-2-3-4; Vice-President A. A. 4; Rena-President A. A. 4; Rena-President Could C



Eather Arnott



Mary Wortley Ambition: To make use of leap year. Commercial Club 3; State typing contest 3; Home Economics Club 4; Rensselaer'en 4; Chaos 4: May Queen attendant 2-3.



Keith Putt (King Tut) Ambition: To manage a Zane Grey bookstore. Winner Jasper County Corn Show (Boy's Class) 4; Third place State Corn Show District 1 (Boys' Class) 4; Agriculture Club 4.

George Rohinson (Jud) Ambition: To sell Chevrolets in Timbuctu. Hanging Grove 1-2; Constitutional tryouts 2-3; Class Basketball 3-4.



Charlotte Chamberlin

Ambition: To be a thoroughbred. thoroughbred.

Chaos 1-2-3-4 (Associate Editor 3): Masque and Wig 2-3-4: Operetta 2-3-4; Class Secretary-Treasurer 1-3; Commercial Club 3; District Typing Contest 3; Home Economies Club (Vice-President) 4; Goodfellowship Contest 2-3-4; G. A. A. 1; Class Basketball (Captain) 1.

"May there be no sadness of farewell when I embark."

Maurice Harris (Butter)
Ambition: To be a second Uncle Walt.
Glec Club 2: Football
3: Class Basketball 1-2-3-4: Hi-Y 2-3-4: Commercial Club 4 (Sergeant-at-Arms 4): Art
Club 2.





Betty Miller (Beta)
Ambition: To organize
'Old Maids' Relief.'
'Nat Onal Honor SociaSocial Social Social

Helen Bruce
Ambition: To be a college widow.
Commercial Club 3;
Home Economics Club 4.





Leona Schaffer (Tiny)
Ambition: To be a fat
woman in a circus.
Commercial Club 3:
Class Basketball 2-3-4:
Home Economics Club 4:
Glee Club 2-3.

Gertrude Kanne (Gertic)
Ambition: To be a m'ssionary of (Red) Men.
Home Economics Club 1-4; Commercial Club 3-4.





Mildred Wassen (Mid)
Ambition: To join the secret service.
Commercial Club 3:
Home Economics Club 4;
G. A. A. 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 2-3-4.

Mildred Kerlin
Ambition: To teach
history in Afghanistan.
Glee Club 2-3: Comercial Club 4; D. A. R.
Constitutional Award 3;
Home Economics Club 4;
G. A. A. 3-4.





Clark Reed (Tarzan)
Ambition: To rival
Janiel Wester Hr 7 a-4;
Class Saskethal 1-2-3-4;
Agriculture Club 4;
member of R. H. S. judging (corn) team to State
three div stons of County
Corn Show: 4th, State
Corn Show: 14th, State
Corn Show: 1928 (boys'
class).

"Rich in good works."

Henrietta Eaton (Henry) Ambition: To teach Domestic Science in Bor-

heo.

Brook High School 1;
Operetta (Brook) 1; Operetta (Rensselaer) 2;
Commercial Club 3-4; G.
A. A. 3-4; Home Economics Club 4.



Mary Alice Warren
Ambition: To be editor
of "True Story Magazine."

National Honor Society; Chaos 4; Rensselaerien 4; G. A. A. 2-3-4 (Treasurer 4); County Latin Contest 3, Home Economics Club 4.

Prancis Karry
Ambition: To live a
life of mending his ways.
Masque and Wig 2-3-4:
Francis entered Goodland High School the second semester of our senior year.



Margaret Cook (Cookie)
Ambition: To be rural
mail carrier.
Commercial Club 3-4;
Home Economics Club
1-4.

Ona Hooker (Onie)

Ambition: To be a professional square dancer.

Commercial Club 3-4;
Home Economics Club 4;
Sunshine Society (Vice-President 3).



Paul Goldsberry (Nero)
Ambition: To be a shiek
in Arabia.
Art Club 3; Commercial Club: Chaos 4.

Marie Johnson
Ambition: To rival one of the "seven sisters."
Remington 1; Reading Contest 2; Masque and Wig 3-4; Home Economics Club 3; Commercial Club 3-4; G. A. A. 3-4; Operetta 2-3.



Millie Selhy
Ambition; To possess a
new Ford.
Mt. Ayr High School
1-2; Commercial Club
3-4.

"Virtue lies in the struggle, not in the prize,"

CHAOS

Ernest Graham (Ernie)
Ambition: To graduate!

National Honor Society; Rensselaerien staff 1-2-3-4 (Editor-in-chief 3-4) Chaos 2-3-4; Masque and Wig 2-3-4 (Treasurer 3); County Latin Contest 1; Goodfellowship contest (first) 4.



Leavenna Seible (Dutch)
Ambition: To be a
trapeze performer.
Hanging Grove H. S.
1-2: Vice-President of
class 1; Secretary-Treasurer of class 2; Basketball 1-2: Commercial
Club 4; Home Economics
Club 4.

Elizabeth Hartman (Lib) Ambition: To live in Switzerland and put the holes in cheese. Commercial Club 3; Basketball 2-3-4; Operetta 2-3; G. A. A. 3-4.



John Charles Hill (Bal)
Ambition: To go where
angels fear to tread.
Commercial Club 4;
Class basketball 1-2-3-4.

Edna Anderson (Ed)
Ambition: To be a successful housewife.
Commercial Club 4:



National Honor Society

The National Honor Society, which was established in Rensselar High School in 1924, emphasizes scholarship, and with it those other qualities that go to make up splendid citizens in the school and in the community. This organization is intended to stimulate scholarship in the high schools, much the same in purpose as Phi Beta Kappa in colleges and universities. The students are chosen upon the following merits, in addition to that of scholarship: leadership, service, and character.

The following students were elected to membership from the class of 1928: Ernest Graham, Betty Miller, Margaret Wild, Mary Alice Warren, Sarah Hunt, and Esther Arnott.

"It matters not how long you live, but how well."

Senior Class History

OFFICERS

President Raleigh Phegley
Vice-President Lucille Hemphill
Secretary Valeria Telfer
Treasurer Andrew Shindler
Sponsors Miss Clarke and Mr. Covert

Motto—"Toil Conquers All." Class Flower—Carnation. Class Colors—Green and White.

On September 1, 1924, Rensselaer High School became the host of eighty-four boys and girls, the class of '28. Robert May was elected president for the first year of their visit. Although totally ignorant of all the custems of R. H. S., these promising young people soon learned all the necessary rules and regulations. By the end of their first year even the upper classmen were forced to admit that the class of '28 was an ideal guest.

In the fall of 1925 this same group, considerably lessened in number, accepted the invitation of R. H. S. to make another visit. Raleigh Phegley was elected president. This year the class was determined to pay back in some way the kindness of their host. Accordingly many of the boys took an active part in athletics and others won prizes in the County Latin test and in the County Declamation Contest. Two of the class were winners in the Goodfellowship contest.

In 1926 this class congregated in the halls of R. H. S. for the third time. Raleigh Phegley was again elected president. This year was a very successful one for this class. Their "prom" was a success—socially as well as financially. Three members won places in the Goodfellowship contest. Two took part in the County Latin test and many won R's in athletics.

Forty have returned to R. H. S. for their fourth and last year as the guests of Rensselaer High School. For the third time they elected Raleigh Phegley president—thus showing their appreciation of his work as president. Two were elected as good-fellows, and several of the boys received R's for their work in arthletics. The visit of the class of '28 with R. H. S. has come to an end, and each must go out into the world to find a home elsewhere,—but carrying with him a tender memory of his high school career.

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NATION PLUNGED INTO DARK DESPAIR

nation was plunged into the depths plunged into the depths As yet no word has of sorrow when the been received from the news of the untimely death of our beloved president, Margaret E. president, Margaret E. ier. who stated on the Wild, was flashed morning from the through the air. The courthouse square in gruesome discovery "High Spirits," their was made by her faithful private secretary. Lucille Hemphill, who had returned to the of-fice in search of her most treasured possession, namely: a black sweater with four bars and a star. Miss Hemphill was almost overcome by the ghastliness of the affair, but with her usual fortitude she had presence of mind enough to send a riot enough to send a riot call to the police and notify Chief of the Se-cret Service, Claude Jones. Chief of Police, Maurice Harris, with his usual celerity, responded to the call.
Chiefs Harris and Student Government Jones, after careful investigation, report the deed was undoubtedly committed by a former suitor of President

A bottle, half-filled ment had the greatest with some mysterious case they have ever liquid, and a white linen handkerchief bearing the initials T. N. T., which were found in a tendent of city schools remote corner of the and widely known as room, are the only the author of "Why I clues to the perpetra- Distrust Matrimony"

tor of the deed. was in its usual perfect ing a law of the Conorder, symbolical of her stitution, Article IV, great efficiency. Her Section VII. This artiwell-chewed fountain cle states that no stu-pen lying by her open dent or teacher of R. H. typewriter was mute S. must be seen in com- ez Goldezbersh, former-

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NO WORD FROM MARTIAN FLYERS

President Assassinated Scientists Suggest Collision with Comet

> renowned fliers, Mildred Wasson and Betty Miller, who started off this specially constructed rocket, with Mars as their destination. Just before leaving they anannounced that they would keep in touch with us continually by radio, but their mes-sages ceased abruptly after twelve o'clock.

Some scientists suggest the possibility of collision with a comet, due to miscalculations. This is of course possible, but it is improbable. We are awaiting definite news from our interstellar correspondent, Mary Wortley.

Proves Fatal to R. H. S. Teachers

The Supreme Court disaster. of the student governhandled brought before them Friday when Mr. Francis Karry, superin-tendent of city schools r of the deed.
President Wild's desk
was accused of violatevidence of an unfin- pany with one of the ly an American scien-

Offers Munificent Reward

The utmost sympathy Recently the renown-is extended to Miss Mar-ed scientist. Mr. Goldsgaret Cook, one of Chicago's most popular society belles, because of pearance of her pet aft-er its heroic deed of saving Mr. George Robinson from a deserving death in the fire which destroyed the No Cash ?) Walk-out Hotel last Thursday. From Mr. Robinson's story he was in the wilds of Africa and was just facing a mighty gorilla when he suddenly window and come to his bedside. Mr. Robinson all but jumped from the 150th story to escape the beast. He rushed to safety just as the famous hotel col-

Mr. Robinson's imagination was very good, for the gorilla was only Miss Cook's pet monkey, which has not been seen since the terrible

WAR DECLARED ON ARABIA

Because of Action of Shiek.

War has been de-clared between Arabia and Czecho - Slovakia. appeared the image The alarm has been a beautiful, youngverified, and the whole ror on this declaration. All the turmoil began over the action of Paul-

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WEALTHY WOMAN EMINENT SCIENTIST GRIEVES FOR PET INVENTS CAMERA TO PHOTOGRAPH THOUGHTS

berry, completed a brilliantly successful test of his latest creation. the mysterious disap- a camera which will photograph thoughts!
Using Mr. Reed, his
janitor, for his first
subject, Mr. Goldsberry directed the camera at Mr. Reed's head, Mr. Reed, of course, being held absolutely still in a chair of special design. Then the scientist allowed a two-minute exposure, after which he removed the plate awoke and saw one from the camera and swing in through the developed it. To his great astonishment and vexation the plate was absolutely blank. Muttering something about "too thick a skull," he then called in his friend and lawyer, Mr. K. Putt, to take Mr. Reed's place in the chair. was the result!

Mr. Goldsberry stared at the plate for a moment and then remarked audibly, "Nothing there. That explains my there. That explains why he couldn't put that deal through!" Highly disgusted, he hastily summoned Mr. Robinson, the millionaire toothpick manufacturer. A third trial, and at last-success! On the developed plate appeared the image of verified, and the whole but we promised to world looks with hor- keep Mr. Robinson's secret

> Mr. Goldsberry has already very generously offered to turn his in-

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EDITORIAL

Now, dear readers, let us have a few moments of quiet contemplation to rest ourselves from this noisy, bustling world. After all the excitement of the day, what could be more pleasant than to sit before the fireplace with its cheerful, glowing logs and just reeffect? But let us get down to our subject.

Is it not splendid to have a place where you may go every day and eagerly glean a little information? Is it not have kind, thoughtful, unselfish instructors who are so gentle and patient in guiding your feet up the steep path of knowledge? Do you often stop to think how many more provisions are made for your happiness than were made for the happiness of the previous generation? As you hasten happily off to school in the morning, you are, of course, too anticipation of the many fascinating facts which your learned instructors will reveal to you with their characteristically ingenious methods, turning his-tory and English into

and mathematics and science into the most charming and awe-in-spiring types of modern magic, to give much thought to the consideration of the fact that your parents were not so fortunate as to get to enjoy the magnificent advantages which you of course deeply appression of the control of th

You obviously owe much more to the preceding generation than you can ever repay. So, if one of your much respected teachers, being overburdened by his work, should become downcast at being unable to help you as much as he desires, what would please him more than a kind word and a bouquet? If you have no other flowers, why not take the golden dandelion? matters it if you have only a dandelion with which to express your love?

To illustrate, let us quote one of our eminent boot-leggers who said on one occasion, "The spirits are there if the bottle is cracked."

Old Timer No. 9991/2

Fond Memories

(A poem written in 1938 by the Reverend John Charles Hill.) Oh, ten long years have passed away

Since that last, dim Commencement Day, My hair is quickly turning gray

When e'er I think of R. H. S. I think of peace and

happiness.
Those dear old walls
may Heaven bless!
(Yes, really!)

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NATION PLUNGED INTO DARK DESPAIR

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ished task.

A last lingering ray of sunlight cast its gleam on a single red rose placed before a picture of a handsome naval officer. The detectives have been unable to distinguish the signature which was below the picture, and the identity of this man has thus far remained an unfathomable mystery.

The world breathlessly awaits the result of the investigation.

Former R. H. S. Students Establish School In Orient

Last Monday Mr. E. Graham and Mrs. M. A. Warren Graham sailed from New York for China. They will spend the next month in write the Chinese larguage. They expect to master the language and become leaders of a new school being established in the intertained of the control of th

Marriage License Issned

By Clerk Thomas Willis Friday 13, 1940, Kink, 1971, 1981, 19

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENCE

L. Seible: Falling hair may be avoided by jumping quickly aside whenever you see it coming your way.

coming your way.

C. Reed: Freckles
may be pricd out with
an ice pick. Should this
fail try blasting with
dynamite.

V. Telfer: To keep your stove from going out at night, put it out in the afternoon.

in the afternoon.

A. Shindler: If your feet are too large, drink

condensed milk.

A. Warren: Bad nails can be avoided by drivng them in with a ham-

Mr. H. Eaton. To tell whether or not you are a victim of this insidious affliction, halitosis, so to a little child for the answer, because your best friends will not tell you.

S. Hunt: A leak in the roof will stop as soon as the storm is

M. Johnson: The best method by which to improve the shape of the nose is to keep from poking it into other people's business.

Student Government Proves Fatal to R. H. S. Teachers (Continued From Page 1)

opposite sex without a chaperon after the very late hour of 9 o'clock.

Mr. Karry has been accused of being seen in the company of Miss Marie Johnson, also a teacher in high school, parked on the road back of the St. Joseph College, by the school deputy sheriff.

Today Miss Johnson was brought on the stand, but, owing to nervousness, she did a

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The Razzelaerien

HERE AND THERE

A farewell party was given last week in hon-or of Miss Esther Arnott, who will leave soon to teach the Anti-Saloon principles at Burrough's Camp. Miss Arnott's many friends wish her well in this new undertaking.

Mrs. G. Robinson. whose divorce case was completed last week, where she will spend several months. Mrs. Robinson (née Hartman) is very prominent in the social life of Lon-

It is reported that four former R. H. S. graduates will sponsor the Junior League dance at Parr next month. This is a great honor that is coveted by many. Those faby many. Those fa-vored are Misses Ona Hooker, Helen Bruce, Leona Schafer and Mildred Kerlin

Miss Avanelle Warren. the world-famed violinist, sailed for Paris today to join the Paris Opera Company. It has been rumored that Miss Warren has refused the hand of a well-known wealthy broker, prefer-ring a musical career to the duties of a society leader.

Mr. Raleigh Phegley was arrested today on the charge of boot-legging and wife-beating. Many will remember him as one of the most promising youths ever graduated from R. H. Life brings many

Madamoiselle Henrietta Eaton arrived in tensive trip through the Orient. While abroad she made a further study of things occult. She is now able to reveal your past as well arrive at half past nine as present and future. and continued to arrive She has been very suc-into the wee small

the marvelous events that have occurred

Miss Valeria Telfer. after a strenuous season at Miami Beach, is resting at her country home near McCoysburg. She would welcome any news concerning the whereabouts of her husband (No. 5). She is anvone would sure anyone would to congested traffic Mr. know him, for he had and Mrs. Putt were deblue eyes and brown layed and arrived only hair with a reddish ten-dency. When she left for Miami last November, he was wearing a brown sweater, a gray cap, and red tweed

knickers, size: plus 40's. Miss Millie Selby, manicurist at the Hoosier Inn. flew to Paris last night in her plane, "The Spirit of Cam-phor." Miss Selby did not divulge her intentions to the press, but it is understood she is to marry a rich count of Austria. Some say,

The many friends of Miss Selby hope for the Mr. and Mrs. Keith Putt left for New York last week in their new

airplane (Honeymoon) to attend a studio tea given by A. B. Shindler

GREENWICH VILLAGE SCENE OF GAIETY

A. B. Shindler Delightful as Host

A. B. Shindler, who such disappointments. has won fame as the accompanist for Madame Strausinski, entertained a number of friends recently at a soirée at his strikingly furnished studio in Greenwich Village.

The guests began to

cessful in her career, hours of the morning, having foretold many of was Dr. Robert Turfler within the past several first time in history that Dr. Turfler was known to appear on time. He was closely followed by Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Eger, who were displaying a new seashell pink sport Fordson. Mr. and Mrs. Putt, of Rensse-laer, arrived in their plane, Honeymoon, Due to congested traffic Mr. in time for the farwells. Other guests known to the people of R. H. S. were: Congresswoman Florence Wright and her brother, Robert, of Washington, D. C.; Miss Mildred Ramey, who acted as reporter from the New York Times; Misses Georgena Mc-Callum and Charlotte Chamberlin; Reverend

> tainment consisted of For Sale: All Kinds of the very thrilling and intellectual game of tiddledy-winks. This soon Hunt. proved to be too strenu-ous, and the evening ground Dept." — Edna was given over to a spelling-bee and a cro- Grounds Dept."-Marcheting match. The garet Cook.

John Charles Hill and Professor Robinson.

early hour in order that they would be home in

hours of the morning. See Our Fine Assortment. SPRING DATES

Orders thankfully re-

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> CONCERTS and RECITALS

Mademoiselle Warren

Tom Cox, Accompanist. Lela Belle Maines, Mgr.

Eminent Scientist Invents Camera To Photograph Thoughts (Continued From Page 1)

vention over to Mr. Jones, head of the Secrct Service. It will undoubtedly be a tremendous aid in convicting

Real Estate Agency Maurice Harris.

"Grounds'

1. Manager of "Fore-ground Dept."—Sarah

3. Manager of "Coffee

guests departed at an 4. Manager of "Play-

5. Manager of time for lunch the next "Grounds for Divorce" -Charlotte Chamberlin,

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HARTMAN'S UNIQUE CIRCUS

Elizabeth Hartman Manager Helen Bruce Assistant

COME

See Ona Hooker Charm the Snakes Leona Schafer's Brute Strength Will Thrill You You Will Gasp at Betty Miller's Rope Walking

PUTT-WISEMAN NUPTIALS

A very charming and effective wedding ceremony was solemnized at the People's Elopeevening.

The church was tastefully and beautifully decorated with dandelions, sunflowers, and asparagus. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was charmingly attired in a gown of scarlet velvet with a long train. which was carried by two train bearers, the bride's twin sisters. She carried a bouquet of rare orchids and snapdragons. The bridesmaids were attired in vellow brocaded transparent drooping green hats ornamented with large red roses. They carried bouquets of glories and morning glori sweet williams.

The double ring ceremony was used, after which the bridal party departed to the home of the bride, where an elaborate dinner was

The menu, which was entirely original, con-sisted of:

Frog Cocktail Goat-a-la-king Cow-buttered beans Whipped Irishers Asparagus in egg shells

Chasse Immediately after the dinner the couple left for New York, from which place they will sail to Europe on the "Donforgetchagirl." The bride was beautiful in a sport ensemble of

tan They will be at home at 3609 Main St., Reno, Nevada. All their friends wish them happiness, and they hope Reno atmosphere will have no bad effects upon their wedded life. (Yes, really!)

HALTED ON BRINK OF CHAMPIONSHIP

R. H. S. Quintet Defeated by New York Champions

Mr. Thomas Wilcox was elected last fall to the position of head coach at R. H. S., where he follows in the foot-steps of E. G. Harrison. who has been retired on a pension. His basket-ball team has just closed a successful season, having gone to the finals in the national basketball tournament. His flashy little team was defeated, after a fast and furious battle. by the New York five. It will be interesting to many to know that Lawrence Arnott, one of the older alumni of R. H. S., was one of the sponsors of the tournament. He is now a prominent Wall Street financier but has not forgotten his love for

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OLD TIMER No. 9991/2 (Continued From Page 2) And ah, those teachers kind and true! Just always helping me and you Whenever we were sad and blue.

(Ah truly!)

When e'er these recollections rise They carry with them tire trouble. heartfelt sighs, And bring the into my eyes.

REST SELLERS Women I Have Known.

John Charles Hill, D. D. Rensselaer After Midnight, Keith Putt. L. L. D.

Country Life. Its Ad-vantages and Disadvantages, George Robinson (Bruce), Ona Hooker. The History of Per-

manent Waving, Leavenna Seible. Gentlemen Drofor Brunettes, Thomas Wil-

The Modern Youth. Henrietta Eaton That Magnetic Personality, Margaret

Wild. Tragic Love, Clarke Spinster Meditations.

Esther Arnott. I often think of study

halls: The tinkling bell, then silence falls. No noisy, rude, unseemly brawls. (No never.)

No more I'll be in Freshman mobs Whom time of ignorance soon robs; My manly frame is wracked with sobs.

Such memories be all WAR DECLARED about Oh friends, it seems

without a doubt They'll tear my very heart strings out.

Student Government Proves Fatal to R. H. S. Teachers (Continued From Page 2)

"fade away" and had to be assisted from the court room, Mr. Karry next appeared and was also very nervous as he related his unlikely story, that of having

Later in the court was able to appear and she fervently verified the people.

CARTUNING and SINE PANETING

Did chepe fernish de jack we fernish de brane.

Edward Williams, Mgr. Irene Borntrager, Asst.

Mr. Karry's story.

The jury was gone from the court room more than an hour, trying to decide upon the verdict. Upon their return there was a deathlike silence in the room when the foreman arose to render the decision. Since this was the first offense of its kind, the jury saw fit to be lenient with this couple, and the decision was: Mr. Karry and his home should be guarded every night for six months, and Miss Johnson must not be seen in company of any man for the same length of

This, it is hoped, will be an example for the other teachers and students, and it is thought with such enforcement of laws there will exist at R. H. S. a very pious group of students and

ON ARABIA Continued From Page 1

tist, now a very influential shiek of Arabia. when in a potato masher duel he slipped on a banana peel and caused his Czecky opponent to fall in the way of a weary camel, which politely lay down on him, and under no consideration would the camel arise until it was refreshed.

Alas, the poor Czech is before his judge and Paulez Goldezbersh has more to think of than procedure Miss Johnson Helen Brimstone as he faces the vengeance of

Class Will of 1928

We, the Class of 1928, Rensselaer High School, City of Rensselaer, State of Indiana, County of Jasper, being indisputably of sound and disposing mind, and about to depart from our life in R. H. S., do hereby publish and declare our last will and testament.

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To the Freshies-Our lofty ideals and years of experience.

To the Sophomores-Our "wim and wigor".

To the Juniors-The right to say-"It won't be long now."

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To Tom Cox-"Bal" Hill's snappy comeback.

To Emy Colton-Val Telfer's "come hither" expression.

To Ruth Overton-Lib Hartman's ability to chew gum.

To Margene Roth-Sarah Hunt's surplus credits.

To George Maines-Raleigh's guiding hand to victory.

To Tid Wright-Chic's dignified manners.

To Miss M. Norris-Keith Putt's extensive library.

To Tim Eger-Mary A. Warren's literary inspirations.

To Carrots Ramey-Tom Wilcox's crowning glory.

To Shon Kresler-Esther Arnott's primness and quiet demureness.

To Charlie Grow-Clarke Reed's agrarian interests.

To "Silas" Bishop-Edna Anderson's ability to learn shorthand.

To Freddy Fendig-Paul Goldsberry's job as janitor.

To Elmer Ihne-Ernest Graham's Rensselaerien editorship.

To Helen Mackey-Gertrude Kanne's affections for "Red".

To John Michaels-Andrew Shindler's ability to play the piano.

To "Hank" and "Dot"-Lawrence Arnott's love chariot.

To Ruth Maxwell-Leona Schafer's Herculean figure.

To Mike Sterrett-Mildred Kerlin's peach bloom complexion.

To Ruth Edge-Betty Miller's dramatic ability and love affairs.

To Helen Wright-Mildred Wasson's and "Ave" Warren's experience as soda slingers.

To Edith Lee-Leavenna Seible's curly locks,

To Ruth Thompson-Margaret Cook's domesticity.

To Irene Gasper-Irene Borntrager's desire for men.

To Dot Ranton-Margaret Wild's desire for Brook fellows.

To Ellis Hopkins-Lucille Hemphill's collection of "stars and stripes".

To Miss Bent—George Robinson's artistic temperament.

To Carol Arnott-Ona Hooker's pompadour.

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To Betty Roth—Henrietta Eaton's love for the night air. To Frances Hasty—Lela Belle Maines's sedate manner.

To Pauline Leopold-Marie Johnson's "gift of gab"."

To radine reopoid marie joinson's gire or gab.

To Madelaine Sprague-Maurice Harris's brute strength.

"The man lives twice, who lives the first life well,"

Junior Class



Top Row: Jane Myer, Georgena McCallum, Natalie Barnes, Ruth Overton, Ella Overton, Gladys Kennedy, Juanita Downey, Bernice Brown, Mildred Heuson, Frances Rowen.

2nd Row: Audrey Carson, Mildred Moelhman, Pauline Burgin, Ruth Maxwell, Isabel Rees, Genevieve Kohley, Devota Potts, Frances Hopkins, Helen Critser.

3rd Row: Virginia Howe, Leatha Gilmore, Louise Axen, Evelyn Nesius, Margene Roth, Helen West, Mildred Morrow.

4th Row: Walter Burrell, Frederick Fendig (Treasurer), Esther Erb, Edith Lee, Katherine Abbott, Dorothy Anderson, Mildred Ramey (Vice-President), Helen Wright, (Secretary), Emalee Colton, Florence Wright, Ruth Jordan, Charles Grow, Denver Tudor.

5th Row—Albert Simons, Merle Murphy, Elmer Ihne, Jesse Wingard, Thomas Cox, Harry Ward, Louis Osborne, Robert Turfler, George Maines (President), Loyd Sigo, Lewis Hayes, Frank Kresler.

Bottom Row: Merle Bussell, Jay Young, Leo Cain, William Moore, Walter McColly, Carl Shafer, Robert Wright, Frank Maxwell, Charles Burrell.

Sponsor-Miss Brier.

Our Motto-L'arbre se connait au fruit.

Colors-Red and White.

Flower-Red Rose.

The class of nineteen twenty-nine entered R. H. S. with ninety members. During our freshman year one of our group won the county Latin contest, and one of our boys took first place in the Goodfellowship contest.

In our sophomore year we had several men on the varsity team. One of the girls had the lead in the operetta, which is quite an honor for a sophomore. One of our members again won the county Latin contest.

This year we entered R. H. S. with sixty-seven juniors. Many honors have been added to the list. Several had leading parts in the operetta, and many of our boys participated in arthetics. One of our girls won first place in the local vocal tryouts. Another one of our girls won second place in the Goodfellowship contest this year. Our class is full of "pep", and we plan to do more than our bit to bring honor to old R. H. S.

"Nothing was ever achieved without enthusiasm."

Sophomore Class



Top Row: Esther Spain, Carol Arnott, Iris Berry, Dorothy Lynam, Esther Overton, Emma Eaton, Juanita

2nd Row: Ferrell Downey, Eileen Yeoman, Elsie Hayes, Ione Sigo, Pauline Leopold, Madelaine Sprague, Dema Smith, Virginia Walker, Thelma Spall, Lois Russel, Lois Hurley

3rd Row: Barbara Yeoman, Ruth Edge, Dorothy Heinz, Ruth Thompson, Edna Spencer, Lavanna Selby,

4th Row: Vern Tanner, Nellie Rutherford, Theodore Brown, John Newcomb, Fred Overton, Keith Padgitt, Eugene Conrad, Shelby Yeoman, Charles Hooker, Margaret Murray, Allen Kanne, Delos Fidler

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Chester Fleming President

Vice-President Keith Padgitt Elsie Haves Treasurer Secretary Ruth Thompson

Motto-Ad astra per aspera.

Sponsors-Miss Huber and Mr. Bundy.

The class of 1930 from the first has had the reputation of being the brightest (?) and most orderly (?) class that ever passed through the high school doors. During the time we were "those little eighth graders" and freshmen, probably no one realized our own importance so much as we ourselves did.

Oh! the mysteries of those first class meetings when Ellis Hopkins, our president, deported himself so ably. At those times we planned our class parties which were so well (?) attended! But with the help and advice of Miss Huber and Mr. Bundy we have succeeded in conducting and attending them better during our sophomore year.

As sophomores our dignity and calm demeanor has been unequaled. We have looked with half disdainful amusement upon the antics of the freshmen. Our class was well represented in athletics and one of our girls had the leading role in the operetta.

We pass with haste over the memorable times when we were called to the office to receive praise (?) for our excellent behavior in the halls and class rooms, and to receive our "don'ts" for the future.

"All things come round to him who will but wait."

Freshman Class



Top Row—La Verne Jones, Charlene Hemphill, Ruth Wilcox, Dorothy Ranton, Betty Roth, (president), Virginia Roth (secretary), Margaret Parks (treasurer), Nelda Bruce, Elizabeth Dye, Jean Swayzze. Second Row—Wayne Blankenbaker, Paul Ferguson, Floris Arnott, Itene Gasper, Louise Carson, Jeannette

Kruler (vice-president), Virginia Milore, Bernice Younsa, Ferne Wortley, Iranese, Hatty, Thirif Rows—Arlie Gonnell, Paul Richards, Dorordy Modelman, Glodys Hayes, Doris Luers, Josephine Zimmer, Dorothy Borntrager, Doris Campbell, Frances Hemphill, Irene Linback, Helen Ramp, Raymond LaHue, James Overton, Paul Nesius.

Fourth Row—James Chapman, Benton Hanry, Alfreda Walters, Suis Arnott, Geraldine Amilet, Lois Rühling, Mary Kathryn Culp, Gladys Holder, Eldon Kelly, Harold Wood, Robert Clouse.

Fifth Row—Beulsh Whorrall, Ellen Ramp, Constance Harris, Arno Prouty, Ruth Folger, Anna Garland,
Virginia Shindler, Maxime Dunlap, Mary Mugarve, Rachel Nafriger, Lee Mawyell, Daryl Ford,

Virginia Shindler, Maxine Dunlap, Mary Musgrave, Rachel Nafziger, Lee Maxwell, Daryl Ford, Sixh Row—Charler Ramp, John Michaels, Jacob Simons, Robert Hasty, Edward Hochsteller, Max Humphreys, John Michael, Keith Paulus, Harry Yeoman, William Dunlap, Gordon Sutherland, Thomas Parkinougher.

Bottom Row—Lynn Leavel, Boyd Halligan, Harry Arvin, Richard West, Bernard Myres, Wayne Foster, Louis Ramp, Ralph Halstead, Robert Michaels, Jack Downes, Willard Murphy, Harry Eigelsbach.

Sponsors-Miss Allison and Miss Van Deripe.

Our Motto-Vincit qui patitur.

Colors-White and Gold.

Flower-Rose.

We entered with a blaze of glory As all the Freshies do.

But not without some strong misgivings

As to the courses we would pursue.

Latin and algebra and French

All held their fears for us;

But through the semesters we've plodded, Because we knew that we must.

And now that our year is 'most over-

A successful year, we think-

Although our number is somewhat depleted,

We're not quite ready to sink. FLORIS ARNOTT, '31.

"Little brooks make great rivers,"





The Chaos Staff



Upper row: Pauline Leopold, Sarah Hunt, Charlotte Chamberlin, Frederick Fendig, Elmer Ihne, Thomas Wilcox.

Lower row: Jeannette Kresler, Betty Miller, Margaret Wild, Emalee Colton, Georgena McCallum, Mildred Ramey, Mary Wortley, Mary Alice Warren. Absent, Avanelle Warren.

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The publishing of the Chaos, which deals with the happenings throughout the year as a whole, is one of the hardest tasks among the varied activities in the high school. The staff is divided into various sections, each finding its duties numerous and often difficult. They are kept quite busy choosing a theme and making the general plan of the book. Then follows the taking of pictures and reducing and mounting them for cuts. An endless amount of time is spent in typing, and in preparing the art and literary work, which contributes so much to the success of the annual. But now that the worty is all over and the book is completed, the staff would like to express a word of thanks to all those who, through their loyal co-operation and earnest efforts, have aided us in putting out this volume.

The Rensselaerian Staff



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The purpose of this organization is to publish the Rensselaerien, our high school paper, which deals mainly with two things, that of keeping a record of the live news that occurs each month and to promote a better school spirit in the student body. The Rensselaerien is the only means by which the students may voice their opinions, and it is the wish of the staff to have this done with courtesy and efficiency. The paper as a whole compares favorably with newspapers of schools larger than ours. As the work goes on each staff profits by the other's errors, and consequently the publishing of the paper has improved a hundred-fold.



Top Row: Lawrence Arnott, Morgan Sterrett, Thomas Willis, Maurice Harris, Albert Simons, Ward Sands, Charles Burrell, Thomas Wilcox, Keith Padgitt, Chester Fleming, Walter McColly.

Middle Row: George Robinson, Ellis Hopkins, Raleigh Phegley, Andrew Shindler, Everett Warren, Woodrow Harris, Robert Wright, Dudley Sands, Robert Turfler, Dale Yeoman.

Bottom Row: Tarence Henry, Russel Grant, Claude Jones, Edward Williams, Lewis Hayes, Clark Reed, Merle Bussell.

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The Hi-Y Club of Rensselaer High School has been one of the most important activities of the school for four years. The club was organized in 1925, with fourteen charter members. Now the membership is limited to thirty, and there are nearly that many members enrolled. Membership to the club is open to any boy in the three upper classes, provided he is willing to subscribe to and live up to the high purposes of the club.

The chief principles of the club throughout are "clean speech, clean scholarship, clean sportsmanship, and clean living." The purpose of the club is "to create, maintain, and extend, throughout the school and community, higher standards of Christian character."

The Dramatic Club



Top Row: Walter Burrell, Betty Miller, Ellis Hopkins, Raleigh Phegley, Ernest Graham, Andrew Shindler, Charles Grow, Walter McColly, Carl Shaffer, Robert Turfler, Frederick Fendig, Either Arnott, Dudley Sands.

Second Row: Sarah Hunt, Charlotte Chamberlin, Marie Johnson, Mildred Morrow, Helen Wright, Miss Norris, Emalee Colton, Ruth Thompson, Florence Wright, Margaret Wild.

President	Betty Miller
Vice-President	Sarah Hunt
Secretary	Esther Arnot
Treasurer	Walter Burrel
Faculty Advisor	Miss Marguerite Norri

The Masque and Wig Dramatic Club was organized during the school year of 1925-26. Its purpose is to give the members a clearer understanding of dramatics and to give them the assurance and poise that comes only by repeated appearances before an audience. The members are chosen by try outs. All upper classmen are eligible to try out if they are passing in all subjects. The club presents two short plays during the year. The productions this year were "The Unseen" and "Miss Molly".

We, the Seniors, are the last of the charter members, and we wish the future dramatic club as much success as we have had.

Commercial Club



Top Row—Maurice Harris, Lewis Hayes, Claude Jones, Frank Maxwell, Paul Goldsberry, Leo Cain, Thomas Willis, Elmer Ihne, Thomas Wilcox, Charles Grow, George Maines, Miss Huber, Mildred Ramey.

2nd Row—Harold Heuson, Katherine Abbott, Ruth Overton, Georgena McCallum, Jane Myer, Dorothy Anderson, Ella Overton, Edna Anderson, Ona Hooker, Margaret Cook, Louise Axen, Gladys Kennedy, Helen Criteser, Esther Erk, Buth Jordan.

3rd Row—Devota Potts, Isabel Rees, Ruth Maxwell, Leavenna Seible, Bernice Brown, Mildred Moelhman, Pauline Burgin, Esther Arnott, Evelyne Nesius.

Bottom Row-Frances Hopkins, Milly Selby, Lela Belle Maines, Gertrude Kanne, Lucille Kanne, Genevieve Kohley, Marie Johnson, Henrietta Eaton, Betty Miller, Valeria Telfer, Sarah Hunt.

President	. Georgena McCallui
Vice-President	Esther Arno
Secretary	Lela Belle Main
Treasurer .	Thomas Will
Sergeant-at-Arms	Maurice Harr

Last year the commercial club carried off many honors for a club of its size. We sent three teams to the district contest at Logansport, where Mary Wortley won individual honors, entitling her to compete in the state contest which was held at Muncie. Of course, we were very proud to be represented in the state contest.

This year the club is much larger, and we are planning to send four teams instead of two to the district contest which, this year, is to be held at Valparaiso. The district has been enlarged, and we are to compete with several larger schools this year. Some of our members have already shown that they are able to do splendid work, and we believe that we have a good chance to win in the contest this year. We have earned money to send our teams by giving a dinner to the teachers who attended institute here, and by selling ield.

"Business dispatched is business well done, but business burried is business ill done."



Top Row: Dudley Sands, Russel Grant, James Chapman, Harry Eiglesbach, Robert Turfler, Emmet Eger, Keith Padgitt, Andrew Shindler.

Second Row: Iris Berry, Ruth Edge, Nelda Bruce, Virginia Roth, Avanelle Warren, Ruth Thompson, Sarah Hunt, Harold Heuson.

Bottom Row: Jeannette Kresler, Esther Arnott, Elmer Ihne, Eugene Conrad, Mildred Heuson, Morgan Sterrett, Miss Shindler,

The orchestra of Rensselaer High School, under the splendid leadership of Miss Ona Shindler, musical director, has had a very successful year and will be able to fulfill all their engagements for the year: dramatic club plays, May Day, class night, senior class play, and commencement. They have also given one of the assembly programs, and they are entered in the county orchestra contest, in which they won first place last year.

Two members of the orchestra, Avanelle Warren and Sarah Hunt, were sent to Indianapolis during the Indiana State Teachers' Association to play in the all-state orchestra. Avanelle Warren won first place in the county violin contest, and Andrew Shindler won first place in the county piano contest.

Rensselaer School Band



Back Row: Samuel Grant, Leslie Ross, Ross Hume Dean, Robert Mannan, Joe Rowen, Daryl Ford. Second Row: Eugene Conrad, Charles Cain, Everett Warren, Lloyd Sigo, Harold Heuson.

Third Row: Dale Yeoman, Harry Eiglesbach, Robert Turfler, Elmer Ihne, Emmett Eger, Keith Padgitt,
Ronald Ward.

Fourth Row: Dudley Sands, James Chapman, Keith Robinson, Billy Eger, Edward Randle, James Potts, Russel Grant, Joe Borntrager.

Fifth Row: William Wickstrom, Russell Rowen, Carl Shafer, John Moore, John Mannan, David Turfler, Edward Lov.

This band is composed of students of the high school, grammar, and primary grades. During the winter months many new members have joined, and to these Prof. Tonner has given special training.

This band gives concerts every Wednesday night throughout the summer months. They also play during the May Day program, Educational day program, and at the County Fair.

During the winter the band has received an almost entire new set of music, and under the leadership of Mr. Tonner they ought to give some very fine concerts this summer.

Sunshine Society

President			Lela Belle Maine	
Vice-President			Dorothy Anderson	
Secretary and Treasurer			Elsie Haye	
Faculty Advisor			Miss Grace Norri	

The Sunshine Society of the Rensselaer High School was organized April 14, 1922. All the girls in high school are members, with Miss Grace Norris as faculty advisor.

The new members are initiated each year by a "candlelight service," which is very impressive as well as beautiful. This is followed by a "rough" initiation, which is also impressed upon the minds of the newcomers.

The society promotes the spirit of sunshine in the community as it does in the school. The social spirit is not its only object, but charity is also part of the work. At Christmas time baskets of food are distributed among the needy families of the city, the articles being donated by the members. Net stockings are also made by the girls and filled with nuts, apples, oranges, and candy and taken to the immates of the county farm.

Each and every one of the girls is ready and willing to help spread the spirit of sunshine and to make other people happier. By doing this they themselves become happy.

Home Economics Club

For the past several years it has been the custom for the girls in the Home Economics department of the school to organize a club. This year proved to be no exception, and consequently the first meeting was held at the home of Miss Clarke, and the following officers were elected: Tid Wright, president; Charlotte Chamberlin, vice-president; Jewel Wiseman, secretary.

Meetings were held throughout the year at the homes of the various members. Wednesday night of every other week was set aside for Home Economics club.

The purpose of the club was to create an interest in sewing. A great deal of enthusiasm has been shown and with the aid of Miss Clarke the girls have accomplished wonders at these meetings.

Goodfellowship Contest

AMY PHEGLEY

The honor of the "goodfellow girl" goes to a freshman this year. Though Amy has just started her high school career, worthy of the title which has been bestowed upon her. She is been bestowed upon her. She is willing, capable, and bristling with vitality. Amy is a true representative of class and



First

First
No one could be more deserving of first place as a "goodfellow" than Erice. Drough and
for the betterment of the school,
for the betterment of the school,
he has won many firends and
alty and sincerity. Ernie is not
only respected by the student
body, but he is also held in high
only better the school of the school
unusually high in the scholastic
field and has been a great benetions, and any school organizations.



MILDRED RAMEY

Mildred, a member of that notorious and vivacious Junicelass, snatched second place for the girls. She is ever thoughtful and always greets one with her habitual smile. "Carrots" (so-called because of her crowning glory) has done a great deal for her class and alma mater.







"Good will is the mightiest practical force in the universe."

Pickles

"Pickles," or "In Old Vienna," was an operetta, in three acts, given by Rensselaer High School, in the high school auditorium, Nov. 16 and 17, 1927. The operetta was directed by our very capable music director, Miss Ona Shindler, assisted by Miss Martindale, Miss Brier, and Mr. Covert.

The list of characters is as follows:

Hans Maier	Dudley Sand
Louisa .	Helen Wrigh
Captain Kinski	Carl Shafer
Bumski and Rumski	Everett Warren, Raleigh Phegley
J. Jennison Jones	Walter McColly
Jigo	Robert Turfle
Ilona	Ruth Thompson
Arthur Crefont	- Frederick Fendig
June Pennington	Avanelle Warren
Jonas Pennington	Charles Grow
Lady Vivian Delancy	Charlotte Chamberlin

Tourists: Emalee Colton, Jane Myer, Dorothy Heinz, Georgena McCallum, Natalie Barnes, Ruth Overton, Margene Roth, Lloyd Sigo, Thomas Wilcox, Thomas Cox, Frank Kresler, Albert Simons, Elmer Ihne, Emmet Eger.

Burghers: Keith Padgitt, Dale Yeoman, Glenn Robinson, Frank Maxwell, Russell Grant, Eugene Conrad.

Viennese Maidens: Mildred Wasson, Esther Arnott, Dorothy Lynam, Madelaine Sprague, Betty Miller, Ruth Maxwell.

Waiters: Harold Heuson, George Maines.

Gypsies: Ruth Edge, Katherine Abbot, Pauline Leopold, Helen West, Morgan Sterrett, Robert Wright.

Children of the carnival scene:

King Carnival John Mannan Fairy Queen Sue Maines

Attendants to the queen: Bertha Newmaster, Sarah Simons, Eleanor Smith, Lucille Beaver, Anna Woodworth, Virginia Cox, Evelyn Fletcher, Mary Parks, Beth Gains, Unetta Harvey.

Jonas Pennington, an American millionaire pickle manufacturer, with his daughter, June, arrives in Vienna amidst preparations for the annual carrival. To his consternation he finds Jones, his advertising expert, advertising Pennington's Peter Piper Pickles too well. An old acquaintance, Lady Vivian, a wealthy English woman, also arrives on her annual quest in search of her daughter, who was lost near Vienna at carrival time when a baby. Kinski, the pompous police chief, plots to substitute the lost child of Lady Vivian and marry her for the fortune.

A band of gypsies visits the carnival, led by Jigo, the chieftain, and his supposed daughter. Inen. Events lead all to the Gypsies' camp, where a magic pool reveals the face of Lady Vivian's daughter. Arthur Crefont, a poor artist, wins recognition of his art and also the hand of June Pennington. Lady Vivian consents to be Mrs. Pennington; Kinski's plot is exposed; Ilona is restored to her mother, and Jones is rewarded with success in his campaign for the hand of Ilone.



May Day in Old England

Written by Louise Bent and Maurine Sherwood.

Presented at Milroy Park-May 19, 1927.

Episode I-Spring comes to Sherwood Forest.

Dance of Spring-Dorothy Heinz.

The Trees are welcomed by Spring (Trees—fifth grade boys—Miss Jordan). Butterflies and Birds arrive—Mary Ellen Kirk, Evelyn Fletcher, Jean Agster, Eleanor Smith, Virginia Cox, Edward Robinson, Frank Hoover, Merle

Malone, Edward Mills.
Bunnies—Second grade—Miss Hemphill.

The Flowers begin to awaken—Flowers—First grade—Miss Goetz, Miss Randle.

Raindrops help the Flowers to grow. Raindrops—Second and third grades— Miss Folger.

Spring leaves, her mission accomplished,

Maid Marian comes to the Forest on a Spring day. Robin Hood, her lover, watches near so that no harm may come to her. After she sees the flowers, she falls asleep. Then the flowers go away and leave her behind the trees.

Maid Marian—Dolly Beaver Robin Hood—Florence Wright

Episode II-The procession of the villagers to the green on May Day.

Heralds-Harry Eiglesbach and Dale Yeoman.

Jester—Margaret Wild.

The proud Sheriff and his wife-Ruth Maxwell and Bernice Burgin.

The May Queen's Attendants—Martha Grant, Lucile Herath, Mildred Wasson, Mary Wortley, Jane Myer, Georgena McCallum, Arno Prouty, Elsie Haves.

The Villagers.

Episode III—The Proclamation is read by the Proud Sheriff—asking for presentation of a candidate for May Queen. Robin Hood brings forth Maid Marian as his candidate for queen of the May. She is accepted by acclamation of the villagers, and is crowned by the Proud Sheriff.

Episode IV-Homage is paid to the Queen by:

Robin Hood.

Her Attendants.

Shepherdesses—Fifth grade girls—Miss Jordan.

Chimney Sweeps-Fourth grade boys-Miss Chamberlin.

English Country Dancers—High school girls.

Mummers—Fourth and fifth grade girls—Miss Chamberlin, Miss Iliff.

Tumblers-High school girls.

Old Woman in Shoe-Helen Bruce and primary boys and girls.

Robin Hood's Band—Third grade—Miss Dver.

May polers—Seventy-eight grammar girls. Miss Waymire, Miss Hoover, Miss Reed, Mr. Holt.

The May Fete has been given for several years by the Rensselaer schools—and is each year considered one of the most pleasing events of the whole school year. It is a beautiful affair—with the fantastic and colorful costumes against the green of the lovely little park. In the evening the orchestra, under the leadership of Miss Shindler, the band, under the leadership of Mr. Tonner, and the freshman and advanced choruses, led by Miss Shindler, give a program. This is also given in the park.

"Come, we'll abroad; and let's obey the proclamation of the May."



CHAOS



The Class of 1927 of the Rensselaer High School presented

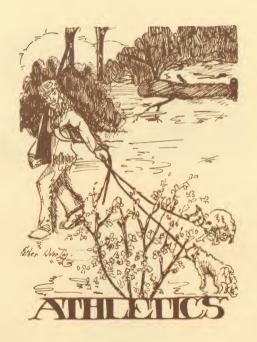
"Under Twenty"

at the High School Auditorium May 23 and 24 Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-seven

CAST (In order of appearance)

Ida Farnum	Dolly Beaver
Grace Farnum	Dorothea Thompson
Peeks Farnum	Virginia Thompson
Bozo	Laddie Hollingsworth
Rannie	Margaretta Tilton
Russell Farnum	Walter Arnott
Bill Boyd	William Ward
Diana Edgarton	Martha Grant
Ted Rutherford	Robert Lefler
Donald Brown	Deloss Rowen

"As full of spirit as the month of May."





Captains of 1927-28 Athletic Teams



THOMAS WILCOX Captain of Football Team



LAWRENCE ARNOTT Captain of Basketball Team



RALEIGH PHEGLEY Captain of Track Team



EMORY G. HARRISON
"Big Chief"

Athletic Coach

"Faithful in every accepted trust."

Football

On September 24, after three weeks of hard practice, Rensselaer began her football season, which netted our team seven victories, with no losses. At this time they met and defeated the Lowell eleven in an easy game, the final score being 25-0.

The following Saturday, October 1, the Rensselaer team met the heavy Attica crew on Attica's field. The game was played on a muddy field, and part of it in the rain. Costly fumbles and a slippery ball kept the ball continually changing hands, but Rensselaer, after trailing at the half 7-0, came back and won by a score of 12-7.

Renselaer annexed her third straight win this year when they won against Crown Point's team on Renselaer's field. The game was well in the hands of the victorious eleven throughout. This victory was "sweet revenge" for the tie of last year's game. At the end of the game we were leading by a score of 30-6.

A fourth consecutive victory was added to our schedule by the defeat of the "highly tooted" Monticello eleven, at Monticello. This team has been a foe of Rensselaer in sports for many years, and especially in football the last two years, when they have lost only two games, Rensselaer being the conqueror each time.

The fifth victory was added to Rensselaer's list when they defeated Jefferson, of Layette, 32-0. The local eleven had the game in hand but were many times endaneered by the furious attacks of the lefferson team.

Rensselaer annexed her sixth victory of the season at the expense of the "West Side" team, of Lafayette. The game was "nip and tuck" throughout, and many times Rensselaer's goal was besieged by the West Siders, but "The Harrison Herd" again defended their title of unbeaten elevens. The game ended with the score 6-0 in favor of R. H. S.

Rensselaer High School entered the list of select few who are laying claim to the championship by defeating Kentland, on the local field, 26-0. The victory was the seventh straight for the Red and Black, thus closing the season without a defeat or a tie. It has been through Mr. Harrison's loyal efforts that Rensselaer has been able to gain this honor.

The Rotary Club and community paid tribute to the high school gridders of '27-'28 on January 19, at a banquet held at the Christian Church. The banquet was under the supervision of Dr. Gwin and the Rotary Club. Several distinguished guests from Purdue were the speakers of the evening, Coach Phelan, assistant coach, Kiser, and Olson, captain-elect of the Purdue team. Harry G. Leslie, speaker of the Indiana Legislature, was another guest. The evening's entertainment was devoted to singing and brief talks, and to end the evening of gaiety Denver Tudor was elected captain of the 1928 football team.

"The character of heroism is its bersistency."

Football Team



Top Row: Mr. Harrison, coach, George Brandenburg, Raleigh Phegley, Harry Ward, Woodrow Harris, Robert King, Walter McColly, Robert Wright, Meyers, Manager.

2nd Row: Frank Kresler, Lawrence Arnott, Carl Shafer, George Maines, Thomas Wilcox, captain, Theo-

dore Brown, Morgan Sterrett, Albert Simons, Robert Turfler.

Bottom Row: Tarence Henry, Andrew Swartzell, Willis Schultz, Jacob Simons, Dale Yeoman, Dudley Sands, James Bishop, James Chapman.

Schedule and Record

September 24-Lowell (here)-R. H. S., 25; Lowell, 0.

October 1-Attica (there)-R. H. S., 12; Attica, 7.

October 8-Crown Point (here)-R. H. S., 30; Crown Point, 6.

October 15-Monticello (there)-R. H. S., 13; Monticello, 0.

October 22—Jefferson High School (Lafayette)—(here)—R. H. S., 32;

October 29-West Lafayette High School (here)-R. H. S., 26; West Lafayette, 0.

RESUME

Total points-R. H. S., 144; Opponents, 13. Games won, 7; games lost, 0.

MAJOR LETTER AWARDS

Captain Thomas Wilcox, Albert Simons, George Maines, Lawrence Arnott, Merle Murphy, Frank Kresler, Carl Shafer, Raleigh Phegley, Dudley Sands, Theodore Brown, Woodrow Harris, Denver Tudor, Morgan Sterrett, Walter McColly, Robert Turfler, Robert Wright, Dale Yeoman.

MINOR LETTER AWARDS

Tarence Henry, Harry Ward, Willis Schultz, James Chapman, Robert King, Andrew Swartzell, Jacob Simons, George Brandenburg.

"They win who believe they can."

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Basketball

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The Red and Black opened their basketball season with a victory over Fair Oaks, and followed with eleven victories and five defeats.

COUNTY TOURNAMENT

January 27-28

Rensselare won the Jasper County baskerball championship when they defeated Remington 42-35 in a double overtime game. They then defeated the Kniman team by a score of 44-18. The Red and Black won the right to play Fair Oaks in the final, which ended with the score being 28-10 in our favor. In this tourney, which was held at Remington, everyone showed splendid sportsmanship.

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

The sectional basketball tournament, also held at Remington, was won by Goodland, when they defeated Rensselaer, Fair Oaks, Tefft, and Remington. Rensselaer was defeated by Goodland in an "upset" game, by a score of 24-21. Many "upsets" featured the tournament: Rensselaer beaten by Goodland; Morocco lost to Remington; Remington defeated Brook.

CLASS TOURNAMENT

The annual class tournament began March 10. The eighth grade furnished a team, and with the four high school teams and one from the faculty, furnished some interesting games for the spectators. Competition was very keen this year, because everyone was allowed to play—even the members of the basketball squad who did not receive their major letters. The faculty team dropped out on the final round, leaving the field for the five grades. The juniors won the banner by winning five games and losing none.

The games were refereed by Raleigh Phegley, Walter McColly, and Woodrow Harris.

BASKETBALL BANOUET

The junior and senior classes and their sponsors have set the date, April 17, for the banquet extended to the basketball team of 1927-28. Members of the squad and men of the faculty will be guests. The program is being arranged, and everything will be done for the entertainment of the team. After the banquet a captain will be elected for the following season.

MAJOR LETTER AWARDS

Lawrence Arnott, Raleigh Phegley, Thomas Wilcox, Walter McColly, Albert Simons, Merle Bussell, Morgan Sterrett, Robert Wright, Woodrow Harris.

MINOR LETTER AWARDS

George Brandenburg, James Chapman, Jacob Simons, John Michaels, Lynn Leavel, Chester Fleming, Dudley Sands.

"One cannot always be a hero, but one can always be a man."

Basketball Team



Top Row: Raliejs Phejely, Albert Simons, Lawrence Arnott (captain), Walter McColly, Thomas Wilcox. Second Row: Morgan Sterest, Frank Kerler, Woodrow Harris, Robert Weight, Lewis Hayes, Bottom Row: Mr. Harrison, cooch, Merle Bussell, Chester Fleming, Harry Ward, James Chapman, Dudley Sanda, James Bishop, manager.

Schedule of Games, 1927-28

Nov. 22-Fair Oaks (here)-R. H. S., 29; Fair Oaks, 26.

Dec. 2-Monticello (here)-R. H. S., 34; Monticello, 15.

Dec. 9-Freeland Park (here)-R. H. S., 35; Freeland Park, 16.

Dec. 16-Morocco (here)-R. H. S., 42; Morocco, 26.

Dec. 22—Remington (here)—R. H. S., 34; Remington, 33.

Dec. 29—Kentland (here)—R. H. S., 34; Kentland, 37.

Jan. 6-Crown Point (here)-R. H. S., 32; Crown Point, 38.

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Jan. 7-Goodland (there)-R. H. S., 40; Goodland, 36.

Jan. 13-Lowell (there)-R. H. S., 23; Lowell, 22.

Jan. 14-Brook (here)-R. H. S., 36; Brook, 48.

Jan. 27-28-Jasper County Tournament-held at Remington-Rensselaer won.

Feb. 3-Lowell (there)-R. H. S., 29; Lowell, 27.

Feb. 4-Crown Point (there)-R. H. S., 24; Crown Point, 43.

Feb. 10-Remington (there)-R. H. S., 27; Remington, 49.

Feb. 11-Goodland (here)-R. H. S., 26; Goodland, 23.

Feb. 17-Brook (there)-R. H. S., 42; Brook, 49.

Feb. 24-Kentland (there)-R. H. S., 30; Kentland, 26.

"He who does his best does well."

Track 1927

SEASON SCHEDULE AND RECORD

April 23-County meet (here)-R. H. S., 63; Tefft, 20.

May 4-R. M. D. (here)-R. H. S., 44; Monticello, 41; Delphi, 13.

May 16—Sectional (Kentland)—Ambia, 23½; R. H. S. and Brook, 19½, tie for second.

April 25-Invitational (Kentland)-Froebel (Gary), 25; R. H. S., 11.

May 23-State (Indianapolis)-4th in one-half mile relay.

COUNTY MEET

100 yd. dash—(1) Neur—T; (2) Kresler—R; (3) Yeoman—R.

220 yd. dash-(1) Arnott-R; (2) Peregrine-T; (3) Williams-R.

440 yd. dash-(1) Neur-T; (2) Jones-R; (3) Alter-F. O.

120 yd. high hurdles—(1) Arnott—R; (2) Simons—R.

220 yd. low hurdles-(1) Kresler-R; (2) Arnott-R.

1/2 mile run—(1) Wright—R; (2) Turfler—R; (3) Seward—T.

1 mile run-(1) Padgitt-R; (2) Fiala-R; (3) Osborne-H. G.

Mile relay-(1) won by R. H. S.-Wright, Shafer, C. Reed, and Heuson; (2) Tefft.

Shot put—(1) Ward—R; (2) Rude—F. O.; (3) Gundy—F. O.

Pole vault—(1) Reed—R; (2) George—F. O.; (3) Sands—R.

Broad jump—(1) Neur—T; (2) Kresler—R; (3) Alter—F. O.

R. M. D. MEET

Rensselaer, 44; Monticello, 41; Delphi, 13.

Individual honors of the day went to Walter (Skivvy) McColly of R. H. S. with 1 first, 2 seconds; Rowen came next with 10 points, and Captain Reed third with 9 points.

100 yd. dash—(1) McColly—R; (2) Reed—R; (3) Ryan—M. Time—:11.

Mile run—(1) R. Capper—M; (2) C. Reed—R; (3) C. Capper. Time—5:17. 120 vd. hurdle—(1) Ryan—M; (2) Hannal—D; (3) Brummell—D. Time :20.

120 yd. hurdle—(1) Kyan—M; (2) Hannal—D; (3) Brummell—D. Time :20 440 yd. dash—(1) McColly—R; (2) Shafer—R; (3) Tripe—D. Time—:57.1.

220 yd. dash-(1) Rowen-R; (2) McColly-R; (3) Turfler-R. Time-: 24.5.

½ mile run—(1) R. Capper—D; (2) Wright—R; (3) Turfler—R. Time—2:19.3.

220 yd. hurdles—(1) Rowen—R; (2) Hannal—D; (3) Brummel—D. Time—:28.2. High jump—(1) and (2) Nicholas and Dilling—M, tie; (3) Crosby—D. Height— 5' 2".

Shot put—(1) Ward—R; (2) and (3) Arnott—R and Simons—M, tie. Distance—38' 6".

Pole vault—(1) Nicholas—M; (2) Reed—R; (3) Holsinger—D. Height—9' 8". Broad jump—(1) Simons—M; (2) Burnell—D; (3) Reed—R. Distance—19' 8".

"After all there is but one race, humanity."



Sectional Meet

The Sectional meet, held at Kentland, was won by Ambia. Rensselaer and Brook tied for second: Ambia, 23½ points; Rensselaer and Brook, 19 points; Kentland, 17½ points. The star performer for Rensselaer was Deloss Rowen, who led the field in the 100 yard dash and 220 yard hurdles, while McColly ran second in the 100 yard dash, and Captain Reed placed third in the 440 yard dash. R. H. S. also won the honors in the half-mile relay.

SUMMARY

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100 yd. dash—Ambia (1); Rensselaer (2); Rensselaer (3). Mile run—Brook (1); Brook (2); Boswell (3). 440 yd. dash—Ambia (1); Kentland (2); Rensselaer (3). 120 yd. hurdles—Kentland (1); Raub (2); Brook (3). 880 yd. run—Ambia (1); Brook (2). 220 yd. dash—Rensselaer (1); Boswell (2); Ambia (3).
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INVITATIONAL MEET

Renselaer took fourth place in the invitational meet held at Kentland, with 11 points. Freebel (Gary) won with 25 points, Brook, second, with 19 points, and Ambia, third, with 15 points. "Cy? Rowen won the 220 yard dash, while Walter McColly took second place in the 440 yard dash. Another heiror acquired by the local school was the winning of the girls' tennis singles championship by Virginia Thompson. Virginia and Florence Wright were well on their way to the winning of the doubles when "Gin" was forced to retire, from exhaustion. Rensselaer also overcame their opponents in the half-mile relay.

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

	1 st	2nd	3 rd	Total
Rowen	5			2.5
McColly	1	6		23
Capt. Reed	2	2		16
Arnott	2	2		16
Ward	2		1	11
Kresler .	1	2		11
Wright .	1	1		8
Padgitt	1			5
Turfler		1	1	4
Fiala .				3
Simons .		1		3
Jones		1		3
C. Reed		1		3
Williams .		1	1	1
Sands			1	1

Total points, 132, for season of 1927. Half-mile relay team won 5 out of 6 starts. Mile relay team won 1 out of 5 starts.

"One pair of beels is often worth two pairs of bands."



Girls' Athletic Association

Any girl in the high school of advanced freshmen standing or above is eligible to G. A. A. membership. This year we took in a class of twenty-four freshmen girls, which makes our total membership seventy-seven.

Our officers are Betty Miller, president; Sarah Hunt, vice-president; Jewel Wiseman, secretary; and Mary Alice Warren, treasurer. They are assisted by the sports' chairmen, who are Jewel Wiseman, baseball; Louise Axen, hiking; Natalie Barnes, skating; and basketball managers from each class. The sophomores, captained by Dorothy Heinz, won the baseball tournament held in the fall. There is also to be a baseball team picked from all the girls in school to play against the Remington girls' team in May. When this page went to the printer, the strong junior basketball team, with Devota Potts as captain, was in the lead.

The girl from each class who has made the highest number of points during the year, in accordance with our point system, is awarded an honor at the end of the year. The senior girl who has the highest point rating will be given a small silver loving cup. The high point winners from the other classes will be given an arm band award, with "G. A. A.—Honor" inscribed.

POINT SYSTEM

I. Class Teams-(basketball, baseball, volleyball, soccer)

	1st team member 50 points
	2nd team member
	Captain of team 25 points
	One person cannot be captain of more than one team during the year. Winning team members of each sport are awarded 25 additional points.
II.	Hikes
	Hikes count 1 point a mile, but no hike may be less than 3 or more than 10 miles. The points made in hiking may not exceed $100\ per\ year.$
III.	Skating—(Ice and roller)
	1 hour skating 2 points The points won in skating may not exceed 50 per year.
IV.	Executive honors.
	Chairman of a sport 50 points
	Class manager of a sport 25 points
V.	Class honors.
	A. Perfect attendance
	1 semester 20 points
	2 consecutive semesters 50 points
	B. Grades
	Honor grade in Physical Education (A+) 25 points

[&]quot;Charms strike the sight, but merit wins the soul,"







Bologna

How often must we hear them say,
"Enjoy your schooldays while you may;
Your work? Why, it is only play."
Bologna!

Says Grandad, "What a chance to train Your young and undeveloped brain! If I were you I'd not complain!" Bologna!

And mother says, "Oh my! Dear me! Not *one* responsibility! If I could only be as free!" Bologna!

Aunt Abby says, "If for to-night Time would turn back in its swift flight To study I'd stay up all night!" Bologna!

The elder brother's next to speak.
Says he, "You lazy little freak,
Just wait until you try this Greek!"
Bologna!

If this is then our happy time, Why life itself's not worth a dime! In fact it's all, like this poor rhyme, Bologna.

-ERNEST GRAHAM.

















R. H. S. Calendar, 1927-28

SEPTEMBER

- Sept. 5—Back to the old grind once more. We give the new members of the faculty the once over. Eighty-eight bewildered Freshies wander aimlessly about the halls.
- Sept. 6—"Nat" Barnes (to staring Freshie)—"Sir—were you staring at me?" Freshie—"No! One glance was enough!"
- Sept. 7—The students were greatly surprised (?) to see the Junior flag floating over the water tower.
- Sept. 8—Mr. Meyers earnestly warns us of the dangers of climbing the water tower. Insurance company does rushing business!
- Sept. 9—Upper classmen hold their heaving sides while tears stream down their cheeks as they listen to Freshies learning the "Loyalty Song."
- Sept. 13—Seats were given out in the large assembly. Do we need a new building? What a quaint question!
- Sept. 14—We were very graciously dismissed at 2:30, post median—due to the intense heat.
- Sept. 15-Class elections were held in the various classrooms.
- Sept. 16—First orchestra practice was held this morning. They played something that sounded suspiciously like—"Soap Suds Over the Back Fence."
- Sept. 19—First Rensselaerien staff meeting. Shows promise of a more stupendous edition.
- Sept. 20-Everett Warren is yell leader again, with Myers assistant. Rah! Rah!
- Sept. 21—And—, as Miss Norris says, we feel like a cow—only a cow feels more thoughtful.
- Sept. 22-Heap big hop at Mt. Ayr. Several young bloods attend.
- Sept. 23—Entertainment committee puts on first program of the year, giving a clever little sketch called, "From the Side Lines." Andy and Betty portrayed our principal and ————.
- Sept. 24—First football game of the season, with Lowell as our opponents. The score, 25-0, speaks for itself! Who says we haven't a real team?
- Sept. 25—Chaos staff appointed. Margaret Wild, Editor-in-Chief; Frederick Fendig, Associate Editor; Betty Miller, Departmental Editor; Elmer Ihne, Business Manager. Miss Martindale joyously (?) resumes position of sponsor. Mr. Webb and Miss Van Deripe are appointed assistant sponsors.
- Sept. 27—Dramatic Club meeting to make plans for the coming year. Miss Norris decides that we should not let our "friends" wear our pins.
- Sept. 28-First Rensselaerien out-containing all the school dirt.
- Sept. 29-"Just another day wasted away."
- Sept. 30—Upper classmen put on three act stunt as welcome to the Freshmen. Held peppy pep session.

"They who make use of their time have none to spare,"

OCTOBER

- Oct. 3-Everyone all run down after the strenuous week end.
- Oct. 4—Seniors hold picnic south of town. The Norrises started—but were unavoidably detained.
- Oct. 5-Floris Arnott and Jeanette Kresler furnish program with songs and readings.
- Oct. 6—Big surprise!—We just found out that Lois Ramey and Bill Amsler were married June 10—at Peru, Ind.
- Oct. 7-Loud socks won't keep your feet from going to sleep.
- Oct. 8-Rensselaer defeats Crown Point, 30-6. Whoopee!!!
- Oct. 10—Faculty have a steak fry at Curtis Creek. The game "truth and dare" brought many startling incidents to light and caused much discomfort.
- Oct. 11-Senior girls defeat the Junior girls in baseball, 17-12. Yea! Bo! Seniors!
- Oct. 12—Reverend Mullen gave a clever talk to the student body. Everyone, including the faculty (!!!), simply roared!
- Oct. 13—Sunshine initiation held in the assembly. An entertainment was provided to conclude the program.
- Oct. 14—The Juniors had to have their pictures taken twice. They must have St. Vitus dance.
- Oct. 15—Big crowd out to see the Monticello game. Our fighting warriors wiped them out, 13-0. They held their celebration before the game, while we staged ours afterwards.
- Oct. 17—Big pep session over Monticello victory. Doctor Myer and Charlie Halleck hand Coach Harrison and his fightin' "'."."
- Oct. 18—Charlie G.—Do you have a date for tonight? Nat Barnes—No—! I haven't. Charlie—I 's'pose you'll stay home then.
- Oct. 19-Grade cards out! 'Nuff sed.
- Oct. 20-Majority of students just getting over effects of grade cards.
- Oct. 21-Mr. Meyers gave another little (?) lecture on low grades. Ho! Hum!
- Oct. 22—Another game in which Rensselaer came out on top, with a 32-0 score. Incidentally—we played Jefferson.
- Oct. 24-Skivvy takes a little trip to the office this afternoon.
- Oct. 25-Operetta practice starts for both cast and chorus.
- Oct. 26-"Bal" Hill leaves us for a few days.
- Oct. 27-Sophomores begin their social season with a picnic.
- Oct. 28-"Emy" comes to school with slightly enlarged optics.
- Oct. 29-Our "'leven" defeats West Lafayette in a hard fought game, 6-0.

CHAOS

Oct. 31—"J'ever hear the dill pickle story? No?—One time there was a man, and he wanted a dill pickle—so he went up town and bought it.

NOVEMBER

Nov. 1-School!

Nov. 2-More school!!

Nov. 3-Most school!!!

Nov. 4—Defeat Kentland in our home-coming game, 26-0. Powerful cold day, and the spectators nearly froze.

Nov. 7—"Pety", realizing what we longed for most, gives until 9:36 to celebrate. Went up town where Frank Kresler gave us a news reel and comedy. Then we went out to Morton's and "threw" a big dance. They had school after 9:36, but very few were there.

Nov. 8—Hold class after school for those who want (?) to stay and make up the time they lost Monday morning.

Nov. 9-Among the absent was George Maines.

Nov. 10-Night school. Doting parents come to see their young "hopeless."

Nov. 11—Armistice Day. Ed. Rose gives interesting talk. We get off at noon, as we have been going to school so much lately—as our principal so wittily remarked.

Nov. 14-Dress rehearsal for operetta.

Nov. 15-Another dress rehearsal.

Nov. 16-Packed house to see howling comedy, "Pickles."

Nov. 17-Last night of "Pickles." Another packed house.

Nov.18—Everyone dead after strenuous work on operetta. Feminine hearts throb audibly at sight of the guard fellows in their uniforms. We attend unveiling of tablet in Memorial Park.

Nov. 21-Thanksgiving is approaching!

Nov. 22-No more school until 8:17, Monday morning!!!!

Nov. 28—Dramatic club tryouts after school. Short study period held after school for those who were absent on the afternoon of Monday, November 7, 1927.

Nov. 29—Dramatic club holds pot-luck supper at Shorty Wild's. Big eats!! Charlie and Fred furnish vocal entertainment.

Nov. 30-First big snow of the season. Grade cards out-worse than before-if possible.

DECEMBER

Dec. 1—Chaos, Rensselaerien, Hi-Y, and Dramatic Club pose for pictures. Mr. Meyers delivers just one more lecture on low grades.

Dec. 2-Monticello again meets Rensselaer, but we slay 'cm. 38-14.

Dec. 5-Congress has opened. Big discussion in Economics Class.

"Be always in time; too late is a crime."

Dec. 7-Betty Miller and Charlotte Chamberlin entertain Home Ec. Club.

Dec. 8-Yea! Bo! Rensselaer!

Rensselaer! Rensselaer! Rensselaer!

Dec. 9—One more knot on our string of victories is gained by defeating Freeland Park 34-16.

Dec. 12—Mr. Meyers—Economics Class, to Senior girl—"Now I don't propose to

Dec. 13—Bal and Shorty just dote on making sarcastic remarks in English Class. Who'd have thought "it" would come to this?

Dec. 14-Everything all right at R. H. S. Nobody dead and nobody dying.

Dec. 15—Andrew Shindler gives classical recital. Andy, boy, you "shore" can "tickle" them "ivories."

Dec. 16-Morocco intends to break our streak of victories but fails.

Dec. 19—"Bal" Hill claims to have a birthday anniversary today, but we think he's just trying to get in the limelight.

Dec. 20-Four more days to shop.

Dec. 21-A pep session is held, which Mr. Harrison claims is the best of the year.

Dec. 22—Remington brings over the whole town and plans to defeat us. A game of the season that will be remembered. Two overtimes played. "Red" Wilcox saves the game by making a foul, 35-34.

Dec. 23—Margaret Myer, Genene Scott, and Helen Ranton give interesting entertainment. Christmas vacation begins.

IANUARY

Jan. 2—About half the school absent—due to the snow drifts. Everyone blooms out in his Christmas gift.

Jan. 4-Everyone (?) settles down to the old grind once more.

Ian. 5-Tim Eger made his semi-semester trip to the office today.

Ian. 6-Lose Crown Point game 38-32, before a packed gym.

Jan. 7-Our team, back in their old form again, defeats Goodland 40-36.

Ian. 9-Rensselaerien staff meeting this morning.

Jan. 10-Mickey Robinson was late just one more morning when he failed to arrive

Jan. 11—Home Ec. Club meets at Audrey Carson's. Sis and the cat furnish entertainment.

Jan. 12-Pep session held. Everett has returned!!!!

Jan. 13-Win Lowell game, 24-25.

Jan. 14-Lost second game of the season when Brook defeated us, 46-36.

"Any time means no time."

Jan. 16-The majority of students decide it's about time to start cramming for finals.

Jan. 17-Intense cramming-continued.

Jan. 18-They're here!!

Jan. 19-More of 'em!

Jan. 20-Vacation for everyone but the faculty.

Ian. 23-Cards out, brilliantly decorated with red ink.

Jan. 24—Junior class meeting to discuss plans of selling tickets for Junior show, "The Heart of Maryland."

Jan. 25-New society formed, "Gotta Kappa Pappa."

Jan. 26-"Just Before the Battle Mother." Tourney starts tomorrow.

Jan. 27-28-R. H. S. wins the County Tournament.

Jan. 30-We bring home the purple and grey banner. Lawrence presents it.

Jan. 31—More wedding bells! Ward Sands and Emma Eaton were married last week. Wonder if Leap Year had anything to do with it.

FEBRUARY

Feb. 1—The students of the city schools were allowed to attend the picture of "The Capture of Old Vincennes"—sponsored by the D. A. R.

Feb. 2-Home Ec. Club meets with Margene Roth.

Feb. 3-Success is found in the word itself-the second letter U.

Feb. 4—"Red" Wilcox tells this one: "The other night while I was traversing the back college road I passed a muffled figure working vigorously on a tire. Something about that lanky figure was decidedly familiar. So went back and helped him, and that's how I came to make an 'A' in Economics."

Feb. 5-Just more days of school.

Feb. 6—The Masque and Wig begins practice for their annual plays. One play, "The Unseen," and the other, "Miss Molly," will be given some time in March.

Feb. 7-There's a fool born every minute.

Feb. 9-Pep session held today.

Feb. 10-Remington downs Rensselaer 49-27. Third time a success.

Feb. 12-Goodland was defeated Saturday 26-24.

Feb. 13-Nat purchases a valentine today.

Feb. 14—Valentine's Day. A favored few of the faculty men received "fotos 'n red hearts."

"A time for everything and everything in its time,"

Feb. 15—Home Economics and 4H clubs of Jasper County hold luncheon at Presbyterian Church. Dean Matthews of Purdue gave instructing talk. Betty Miller acted as toast-mistress.

Feb. 16—The art class furnishes the assembly program, "Pictures from an Old Family Album," which brought down the house.

Feb. 17-Brook downs Rensselaer 49-42.

Feb. 20-Bob and Tid out, for their Dad has scarlet fever. Tough luck!

Feb. 21-Good fellowship contest starts. Silas is a leading figure.

Feb. 22-George Washington's birthday is again revered.

Feb. 23-Tim Eger forgot his notorious black vest.

Feb. 24-R. H. S. defeats Kentland.

Feb. 27-Domestic troubles are getting quite a foot-hold in the student body.

Feb. 28-Rev. Yorger gives short talk to student body.

Feb. 29-This would be a good day for a Scotchman to get married.

MARCH

March 1—Grand pep session is held, after the Junior quartet sing four popular songs, and Marie Johnson reads. Everyone all pepped up over the "main event".

March 2-We go to Remington, expecting to defeat Goodland in the first game. (??)

March 5-The celebration is postponed. We forgot to bring home the bacon.

March 6—Kresler's house burns. All the high school—including faculty (!!) attend.

Praise goes to Hank, George, Carl, and Bert for helping to carry out the furniture.

March 7-Cards out today. We "wonder" how many reached home.

March 8-Class basketball started last night.

March 9—Rensselaerien staff gives assembly program—featuring a Rensselaerien office fifty years hence. It went over big—and how!

March 12-"One after one the dull days go."

March 13-Everyone is hoarding his pennics for the Goodfellowship contest,

March 14-Have you heard about "Alexander," the world's most intelligent flea?

March 15—Miss Van Deripe: "Jane, why haven't you written your sentences?"

Jane Myer: "I had to hold the baby while my mother did the washing."

March 16—Goodfellowship contest ends. Amy Phegley and Ernest Graham came out on top, while Mildred Ramey and Andrew Shindler came in second. Tim Eger took out ashes for a week, and his mother gave him fifty cents, which he donated to the freshmen cause. Acta boy! Tim—We're for you.

March 19—The cast for "Miss Molly" practiced into the wee sma' hours, much to the disgust of everyone, including the coach.

March 20-Spring has come! Tra! La! La! La!

"Time and tide wait for no man,"

- March 21—Home Ec. Club meets at the school house. Too much excitement to get much work done!!!!
- March 22—Dress rehearsal for dramatic club plays. Contestants go to Wheatfield to compete in the county contest. In the four contests we brought three firsts and one second.
- March 23—Oratorical tryouts on Constitution. Louise Axen wins first. Dramatic club plays presented before a packed house.
- March 26-Iust one more day!!!!
- March 27-Hoop La!! Vacation.

APRIL

- April 2—Aren't we glad to see our dear teachers again? S'nother big laugh! And aren't they glad to see us!!
- April 3-Minstrel boys put in strenuous (?) practice.
- April 4—Mr. Gillitt, of Indiana Central College, gives interesting talk. But it's a mere trifle compared with Mr. Mcyers's little elegy on what he quaintly terms "Sliding in."
- April 5—Miss Van Deripe: "Freddy, name four seasons." Freddy: "Salt, pepper, mustard, and vinegar."
- April 6-Orchestra gives assembly program. Jane Myer sings in her charming manner.
- April 9—Busy times. Senior meeting to decide about invitations and various other things. Minstrel practice. Everybody rushing hither and thither getting ready for the big carnival.
- April 10—Dale Yeoman, arguing in English class: Well, you know those eleven o'clock trains—well, whichever one gets in first stops first.
- April 11—First senior play practice for the cast—"The Patsy." The cast consists of Andrew Shindler, Berty Miller, John Charles Hill, Sarah Hunt, Margaret Wild, Raleigh Phegley, Valeira Telfer, Maurice Harris, and Thomas Wilcox.
- April 12—Everyone rushes around feverishly putting up booths and preparing for the carnival.
- April 13-Hoopla! Big Carnival!!

MAY

May 17-May Day and High School Musical.

May 18-Class Night.

May 20-Baccalaureate and school exhibit.

May 21-Class play.

May 23-Iunior-Senior reception.

May 24-Commencement.

May 25-Close of school and alumni banquet.

"Improve each shining moment as it flies."

Jokes

"A pennyworth of mirth is worth a bound of sorrow."

CLASS PRAYER

I sit me down in class to sleep,
I hope my chum, my notes will keep;
If I am called on 'ere I 'wake,
Poke my ribs, for heaven's sake!

CASES

Vantiy-Case—Charles and John Charles Show-Case—Skivy and Ruy Medicine-Case—Shon and Doc Smear-Case—Helen and George Suit-Case—Dorothy and Hank Brief-Case—Emy and Howard Book-Case—Ernie and Margengena Objective Case—Peg and Emory (G. N.)

FACULTY MOTHER GOOSE

Little Mother Huber Went to the cubber To get her typewriter a ribbon; Her back was turned, The children learned All about this business of cribbin'.

Needles and pins, needles and pins; When Petey marries, more trouble begins.

I had a little teacher named Cover'; He took Bea in his Ford, and it shook all over.

Peg and Em went up the hill To get a jug of gin; Em fell down and broke his crown, Peg laughed "Ha! Ha! Do it agin."

Bundy, Bundy, chickens and pigs, A yard full of wagons and worn out rigs. When the "Egg" boys go on a trip They give Bundy a lot of lip.

Gracie, Gracie, quite the berry, How does your class room go? With chewing gum and candy-bars And dumb-bells all in a row.

Little Miss Juliet sat at the desk, Keeping the children from play. Up jumped a mouse in a paste-board box And Judy's hair turned gray. Hickory, dickory, dock
All eyes were on the clock.
The clock struck twelve,
There was no bell
Miss Van saw J—throw a rock.

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Little Boy Dean Can always be seen In his swivel chair. Sometimes he works Sometimes he plays.

Most often you'll find him there.

Little Miss Clarke has lost her shears And doesn't know where to find them. Leave them alone and they'll come home With the Ramp twins behind them.

Maurine Rebecca, where have you been? I've been to Chicago to see my mcn.

Maurine Rebecca, what did you there?
We dined, we danced, and we—talked on the stair.

Benny had an art class
'Way up in the attic;
They learned to draw and other things,

And caused a lot of static.

Little George Webb sat in his lab Playing with 'lectricity. Along come a volt And gave him a jolt And that was the end, explicitly.

Tra—la—la
Tra—la—lay
Flat a little
Sharp a little
O—N—A

+ + +
Hey—diddle—diddle

Bill and his brooms, He washes the windows And sweeps out the rooms.

Dorothy sits in the office, Dorothy gives permits; Dorothy does just lots of things,

While in the office she sits.

Sing a song of Chaos Filled with many a pun. Nina sighs with great relief When all this work is done.

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TRUE LOVE

Oh, I am but a Freshman new, My gal, she is a Freshman, tew. Just three more years and we'll be thru And then the Parson'll make us two One! Tiddy Da Da, Boom Boom.

+ + + + IT'S DOUBTFUL

Father-I never kissed a girl until I met vour mother. Will vou be able to say the same to your son when you become a married man? Offspring-Not with such a straight face as you can, father.

4 4 4 4 There was a loud noise in the kitchen, As if all the furies were loosed, The din fell and rose at short intervals,

A terrible roar was produced. Now Mary ran out from the kitchen

Her head with the harsh noises ached; She ran down the street shouting hoarsely-"My mother is making pound cake." I. K .-- '31

Patient at State Hospital for Insane (looking at clock on wall)-"I wonder if that clock is right?"

Second Patient-"Of course not, or it wouldn't be here."

"Come on," muttered the condemned convict, as the executioners seemed in no hurry to spring the trap. "I can't be hanging around here all day."

"That sailor's a card."

"Yeh, that comes from his association with decks." + + + +

Florist-"Yes, I did advertise for a gardener. Do you know anything about hotbeds?"

Applicant-"Yes, sir, I always sleep with a hot-water bottle."

"I hear that you and Dolly have quarreled."

"Yes, I found something about her that I didn't like."

"What was that?"

"Another fellow's arm."

"I say, Bob," asked an acquaintance, "why did the foreman sack you yesterday?"

"Well," was the reply, "a foreman is one who stands around and watches his men work."

"I know; but what's that got to do with it?"

"Why, he got jealous of me. People thought I was the foreman!"

Freddy: "Emy says she thinks I'm a wit." Petey: "Well, she's half right."

A golfing clergyman had been beaten badly by a parishioner thirty years his senior, and had returned to the club house rather disgruntled.

"Cheer up," his opponent said. "Remember, you win at the finish. You'll probably be burying me some day."

"Even then," said the preacher, "it will be your hole."

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"Why, you add up the ends and divide by two."

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There are jokes that make us laugh, There are jokes that make us groan, But the jokes that seem most funny Are the jokes that are our own.

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Kenneth M.—Oh, Miss Huber, Harry is wandering in his mind. Miss Huber.—Never mind, he won't go far.

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AND THAT'S THAT

Tim Eger, who's not quite all there, Thinks Julian Street is a throughfare.

Bal Hill, a simple gink, Thinks a cotton gin is a kind of a drink,

Shon Kresler is a good old sort; She thinks Rex Beach is a summer resort.

Charlie Grow, the stupid rube, Thinks toothpaste comes in the Hudson Tube.

But Mickey R. is the dumbest I ever saw: He thinks there's a Prohibition Law.

Drive right and there'll be more people left.

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Smile Awhile
And while you smile
Another Smiles.
And soon there's miles
And miles of smiles,

And Life's worth while Because you Smile.

• • • •
OR SCRAMBLED

Test paper (Junior)-Spenser wrote a poem called "omeletto".

Ruth T.:—I say, salesperson! Is this the mirror department? Clerk:—Yes, ma'am.

Ruth T.:—Well, I'd like to see something odd in a mirror. Clerk:—Yes, ma'am. Just take a look in this one, ma'am.

* * * * THEY COME IN PAIRS

Paragraph in a Junior's book report: Willie had no dress suit, so he thought he couldn't be present at a party unless he had a pair. He asked his father to get him a pair, but he wouldn't.

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TACT

Dorothy: Was Jack engaged to Mabel before he married Evelyn?

Katheryn: Yes, and do you know what Mabel did?

Dot: No. What did she do?

Kate: Sent Evelyn, to read on the honeymoon, Stevenson's "Travels With a Donkey."

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Doris Campbell:-What is this Romantic Club everyone is talking about?

Sarah Hunt:-I bet vou could!

Mr. Mevers:-I'm not a betting man.

Helen Wright (to Miss Clarke):-A cow sits down in front and then in back.

Miss M. Norris:—What did I tell you the other day?

Bal Hill:—There isn't any Santa Claus.

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In the 5th hour Virgil class, after a detailed discussion of the bombing of the State Theater in Hammond, Bob Wright sneezed one of his famous deafening sneezes. Andy Shindler iumped two feet from his chair and velled. "The plaster is falline off."

Miss Norris screamed "The school-house has been bombed!"

Everyone else was blown out the door by the sixty-mile per hour wind.

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During a discussion of the three branches of religion: Fred Overton:—What branch does the "House of David" belong to?

Miss VanDeripe:—Put the window down, Ruth. We have enough air in here.
Ruth Thompson:—I'm hot and so is Shorty, and she's sitting on the other side of

the room.

Dot Heinz:—(sitting in the middle of the room) Well, I'm cold in the middle.

Mr. Dean:—Name some of the battles that the Romans have fought.

Helen Axen:—There was the one in which Anthony fought Cleopatra.

Paul Goldsberry: (in explaining the necessary steps in forming a business partner-ship)—The first thing to do is to draw up articles of co-ordination.

The passage written in long hand was:—"the ones checked in red."

As written by Tom Willis in short, hand;—"the onions checked in red."

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In a discussion about the Greeks seizing and burning Troy,— Bob Wright:—If I'd been there, I'd have taken all the women and escaped.

Freshman: (declining duo (two))—duo, die, died.

Mr. Meyers:-Who said, "In peace prepare for war"?

Tid Wright:-Caesar, wasn't it?

Mr. Meyers—Caesar or Mrs. Browning, I forget which.

Mr. Meyers:—Whenever Coolidge leaves the White House he always takes guards with him.

Tid Wright:-Yeh! And Mrs. Coolidge, too.

In Domestic Science Class-

Miss Clarke:-Is it a large window?

Helen Ramp:-No, it's a great big one.

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Miss Martindale:-(after telling a dream she had had)-Now you may draw your own conclusions.

Carl Schafer:-I'm no artist vet.

Charles Grow: (Enlarging his vocabulary) -Oh! look at that hare running across the field.

Freshie:---Are all teachers bookworms? Soph:-All except geometry teachers.

Freshie:-What are they?

Soph:---Angleworms.

Miss Allison:-Order! Order!

Tim Eger: (waking with a start)-Hot dog and coffee, please.

Ralph Halstead: (getting his first glimpse of the fire) - Say, Miss VanDeripe, you ought to let me go to the fire. I'd put it out.

Miss VanDeripe:-How? Ralph:-Spit on it.

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Miss VanDeripe:--What is the meaning of the word "coffers"?

Tom Parkison:-People who have bad colds.

Father:- "When George Washington was your age he was a surveyor."

Dale Y .:- "And when he was your age he was president."

-I hear the sea captain's wife ran away.

Yep, he took her for a mate, and she turned out to be a skipper.

+ + + + Said the tire to the inner-tube.

"What makes you seem so lax?" The inner-tube replied, "It's

The darned old income tacks," + + + +

Paul: "You must find bookkeeping very tiresome?"

Tom: "Oh, I manage to get exercise running up the columns."

+ + + + He was showing her through the locomotive works.

"What's that big thing over there?" she asked. "That's a locomotive boiler."

"Why do they boil the locomotive?"

"To make the locomotive tender," he replied.

+ + + + Nat:-"Oh, Charles, it's so cold. I'd like to have something around me." Charles:-"What would you like to have?"

Nat:-"Oh, anything."

So Charles brought out a shawl.

Emy:-I had the worst dream last night.

Tid:-Howzat?

Emy:-I dreamed I was eating shredded wheat, and woke up and found half the mattress gone.

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Jewel W .: - He's got such an arrogant air about him. Mid W .: - I hate men who use perfume, don't you? + + + +

"What was the excitement down the street?" asked Ruth.

"Oh, a man in a reverse ran into a woman in a tantrum," replied Skivvy.

"Oh, were the machines badly damaged?" asked Ruth.

Mother:-If you fell in the water, why are your clothes dry?

Tim:-I took them off in case of accident. + + + +

FISHERMEN, HEAR THESE!

Three artists were telling tall stories of their work.

"The other day," said one, "I painted a deal board in imitation marble with such effect that it sank immediately when thrown into the water."

'That's nothing," said another. "Yesterday I hung a thermometer on the easel supporting my picture of the Polar regions and it fell at once to twenty degrees below zero.'

"Go on!" remarked the third. "My portrait of a millionaire was so realistic that it had to be shaved every morning."

ALL SPELLED WRONG, MAYBE.

Miss Martindale:- "Are you sure this is a purely original composition?"

Elmer I .:- "Yes, ma'am, but you may find one or two of the words in the dictionary."

Found in a Freshman theme: "That is enough to drive a man contracted."

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He: 138 Red-Hello! May I speak to Mildred, please? Greetings, Mil.

She: Hello, old top. What's the dope? He: I've got the low-down on Holt, Wait'll I tell you.

She: Well, don't be bashful. Spill the dirt.

He: I went up to wash the boards in his room tonight, and whatcha think I found? Instead of writing a grammar lesson on the board, Holt was writing a love letter.

She: Is that all! He: That's not the half. Let me come over and tell you the details. O. K.? In

-Three guesses. Who can it be?

MADE-TO-ORDER SLANG

Harrison-Shoot it!

Covert-Go to grass! Webb-H.O!

ten minutes? S'long.

Bundy-My Cow!

Mevers-Great Governor! Dean-My Kingdom!

Allison-O. K. M. N. X.

Martindale-What Chaos!

M. Norris-Play up to it!

G. Norris-Great Caesar!

Shindler-That's flat!

Sherwood-Step on it!

Bent-Picture that!

Brier-O, My Soul! (inappropriate, but true)

VanDeripe-Mon Dieu!

Clarke-Darn it!

Huber-Speed up!

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INTELLIGENCE TEST

Underline the correct word:

A football game has: one-two-three quarters. A hatband has a: tube-cornet-sousaphone,

A centipede has: five-ten-twenty legs.

A buckaneer is part of a: ship-buck-ear.

A pocket book is found in: library-bookstore-desk.

Isadore K. was pulling up his socks. Miss Huber was trying to think of some way to stop his talking and announced this solution: "I'm going to bring some adhesive tape for you."

By the way, ask Miss Huber what she knows about Holstein hogs and Maltese chickens.

Gertrude K .: - Miss Huber, why are a girl's lips like a book?

Miss Huber:-Don't know!

Gertrude K .: - Only read (red) between meals.

It was ten o'clock at night, and the policeman had been watching a man under the street-light for some time. He seemed to be searching for something on the ground within the circle of the light. At last the policeman approached the searcher.

Sambo, did you lose something?" "Yea, boss, I done los' a five dollar bill."

"Too bad, uncle, I'll help you find it."

They both searched diligently for some minutes. At last: "Just where did you think you dropped it, uncle?"

"Well, boss, I done missed it back yonder, but it's too dark to see there."

M. Norris:-"Louis, define 'water' please." Louis Ramp:-"Water is a clear liquid that turns black when you put your hands in it.'

Groceryman:-Pat, do you like apples? Pat:-Shure, sor, oi wouldn't eat an apple for the world.

Groceryman:-Why, how is that?

Pat:-Ough! didn't me old mother die of appleplexy?

"Our maid left us."

"Why?" "I gave her a rug to beat, and she beat it."

Miss VanDeripe:- "Harold, give me a sentence with "Soviet" in it."

Harold Wood:-"Dere vas nothing on the table but some ham, so ve et that."

"Say, gal, are raw ovsters healthy?"

"Well, I never heard one of them complain."

Mr. Webb:-Can you give me an example of wasted energy? Bob Wright:-Yes, sir. Telling a hair-raising story to a bald-headed man.

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He rocked the boat, Did Ezra Shank: These bubbles mark

Where Ezra sank.

"Did you see Oliver Twist, Aunty?"

"Hush, Child, you know I never attend those modern dances."

Sitting on a tack is short but to the point. + + + +

> Blessings on thee, little car. Gears all stripped and seats that jar. Knocks are many, springs are few, Chassis broken, far from new. With thy two speeds, slow and stop, Cutout open-darn the cop. Lively pickup as it whirls Picks up tacks and chorus girls. Paint all gone-now, girls, don't scoff, You'd look worse with your paint off.

> > + + + + CARFARE

For hours they had been together on her front porch. The moon cast its tender gleam down on the young and handsome couple who sat strangely far apart. He sighed. She sighed. Finally:

"I wish I had money, dear," he said. "I'd travel."

Impulsively, she slipped her hand into his; then, rising swiftly, she sped into

Aghast, he looked at his hand. In his palm lay a nickel." + + + +

GOING ONE BETTER

Hank:-May I call you Revenge?

Dorothy:-Why? Hank:—Because "revenge is sweet."

Dorothy:-Certainly, if I may call you "Vengeance".

Hank:-And why should you call me "Vengeance"? Dorothy:-Because "vengeance is mine."

Betty:-Heard about the big accident? Dot Ann:-No, what?

Betty:-Car just ran over a peanut and killed two colonels.

+ + + + Ruth:-I didn't know Hank had any idea of marrying you. Dorothy:-He hadn't-it was entirely my own idea.

Old Lady:-What was the score? Apple:-Nothing to nothing Old Lady:-Then I didn't miss anything.

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Frater:-What's your name?
    Rushie:- John.
    Frater:-I mean your full name.
    Rushie:-It's John, whether I'm full or not,
                                  4 4 4 4
    Cv:-"I wish I had enough money to get married."
    Sarah:-(looking at the floor and blushing)-What would you do?
    Cy:-"I'd tour the country."
    Senior:-Teacher is sick today.
    Freshie:-What's the complaint?
    Senior:-No complaint. Everybody's satisfied
                                  + + + +
    "Look, pop, Abie's cold is cured and ve still have a box of coughdrops left."
    "Oo, vot extravagance. Tell Ikey to go out and get his feet vet."
                                  + + + +
    First Man:-"Ever been married?"
    Second Man:-"Yes, I've been through it from court-ship to court-house."
                                  + + + +
    Mrs. Colton:-"When I was a little girl your age I didn't tell lies."
    Emy:-"How old were you, then, when you started?"
                                  + +
    Tid Wright:-What do we get from diamonds?
    Chic Chamberlin:-A husband.
    -"Was your son home for the holidays?"
    -"Well, if he wasn't, someone else borrowed the car during Christmas week."
                                  de de de
    Ed Ames:-What's the big idea?
                                    Don't you know that you can't make anything
but a right-hand turn at this corner?
    Helen Wright:-But I'm left-handed.
    Motorist (proposing)-Dearest, I love you! Will you be my back-seat driver?
                                  + + + +
                                 PERFECTION
                        Both beautiful and dumb
                          My own true love must be;
                        Beautiful so I'll love her-
                          And dumb, so she'll love me.
                                  + + + +
    -"What's the difference between a mouse and an R. H. S. girl?
    -"One harms the cheese and the other charms the he's."
    Petie Meyers:-I call my second hour class the Pullman Class because it has three
sleepers and an observation section.
    Grace Norris:-Very good. I call my Caesar class the Pony Express.
                           SEEING AMERICA FIRST
    "How was the scenery on your trip?"
    "It ran largely to tooth paste and smoking tobacco."
    You are a dear sweet girl. God bless you and keep you. I wish I could afford to
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Pauc Eighty-tyco

"What are Roman numerals?"
"Athletic awards at the University of Rome."

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At the close of a hot day, Adam was returning, with his hoe on his shoulder, from a hard day's labor, to his humble cottage. Maybe it was a cave. That doesn't matter, for it was a humble abode. Young Cain was running ahead, boylike, throwing rocks at the birds. Suddenly rhey came upon a beautiful garden. "Oh, father!" said Cain, "look at that beautiful garden. I wish we could live there."

"We did live in that garden," said Adam regretfully, "until your mother ate us out of house and home."

[&]quot;You can take your finger off that leak now, Father."

[&]quot;Thank Heaven! Is the plumber here at last?"

[&]quot;No-the house is on fire."

[&]quot;What was the Sherman Act?" "Marching through Georgia."

[&]quot;Which travels fastest-heat or cold?"

[&]quot;Heat."

[&]quot;What makes you think so?" "Because one can catch cold."

[&]quot;I understand that our friend has six new lawsuits."

[&]quot;Is that so? He always was a classy dresser."

AN AID TO FOREIGNERS

How to master the American language in five minutes.

Memorize these phrases and your success is insured against failure:

"And how"

"Me, too"

"Oh, oh!"

"What, no-(dash represents any vegetable)

"You tell 'um"

''Yah''

"Nope"



Dud:-"I don't need any speedometer on my car. I can easily tell the speed."

Everett:"-How do you do that?"

Dud:—"When I go 15 miles an hour, my lamp rattles; when I go 20 miles an hour, my mudguards rattle; and at 25 miles an hour, my bones rattle."



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"How does Blinks trim down office expenses?"

"He puts the postage stamps on the window ledge when it rains, so as to save the time licking them."

DEFYING GRAVITATION

Two Irishmen were being drilled in marching tactics. One was new at the business, and his companion explained orders to him.

"Now," said Mike, "when he says 'Halt' you bring the foot that's on the ground to the side of the foot that's in the air and remain motionless."

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IN THE MELTING-POT

"Next."—"Who, me?" "Born?"—"Yes, sir." "Where?"—"Russia." "What par."—"All of me." "Why did you leave Russia?"—"I couldn't bring it with me." "Where were your forefathers born?"—"I only got one father." "Your business?"—"Rotten!" "Where is Washington?"—"He's dead." "I mean the capital of the United States?"—"They loaned it all to Europe." "Now, do you promise to support the Constitution?"—"Me? How can I? I've got a wife and six children to support."

WHAT SHE THOUGHT Geo: I sure told Helen what I thought of her.

Jeo: I sure told fielen what I

Chas: And what did she say? Geo: She said she loved me, too.

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"ALEXANDER"

"I hear that Romer's Flea Circus got stranded in Allentown."

"Yes—the leading lady ran off with a poodle."

THE PROFESSOR RETURNS

The absent-minded professor posted a letter without a stamp. When it came back he looked in his mouth and found the stamp on his tongue.

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Doc:—Do you sleep on the flat of your back? Patient:—No, the back of my flat.

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A CHOICE OF WORDS

After having paid a fine of \$5 and costs, a certain man directed some rather indelicate language at Justice Cooney of Compton, and then ran.

An officer captured him, brought him before the justice, who fined him \$10 more. "Had you been more chaste and refined in your language," said the justice, "you would not have been chased and refined."

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STUDENTS THAT CAUSE THEIR PROF. TO GROW GRAY

The "A" student who can't see why he made a "B".

The student who forgets his Monday excuse.

Those who visit in Assembly.

The bluffer.

That unprepared student who starts long discussions.

The credit hound.

That bored young person.

The student that just must talk.

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"Mother, am I your canoe?"

"Certainly not. What makes you think that?"

"Well, you are always saying you like to see people paddle their own canoes."

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Dud:--"Will you have a peanut?"

Dale:-"Thanks, I shell."

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Mrs. Hightone:—"Oh, yes, we can trace our ancestors back to—to—well to I don't know exactly who, but we've been descending for centuries.

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"How do you feel?" asked the physician who had been called to attend a seamstress. "Oh. sew-sew, but I seam worse today and have stitches in my side."

The doctor hemmed and told her she would mend soon,

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Father fell upon the ice Because he could not stand. Father saw the stars and stripes;

We saw our Father-land.

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The following advertisements appeared in various papers some years ago:

"Bull dog for sale; will eat anything; very fond of children."
"Wanted: a boy to be partly outside and partly behind the counter."

"Widow in comfortable circumstances wishes to marry two sons."

"Animal sale now on. Don't go elsewhere to be cheated. Come here."

"A lady wants to sell her piano as she is going abroad with a strong iron frame."

"Wanted: an airy bedroom for a gentleman 22 feet long and 11 feet wide."

"A carload of bricks came in for a walk through the park."

"Wanted: a house for a family of about five rooms."



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